

HOUSE COMMITTEE GRAPPLES BONUS FINANCE

Deflation Nearly Over, Business Outlook Bright--Reserve Board

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Business throughout the country, progressing through well defined circles, is nearing the point of the upward swing of the economic pendulum, according to the annual report of the federal reserve board transmitted Monday to congress.

"There are those," the report said, "who believe that the beginning of revival is not far distant. When it does definitely set in it will be followed in due course by a new era of prosperity."

Business, in one of its "long swings" from prosperity, the report said, has followed its usual relation, which it described as business ac-

LENROOT SUGGESTS SHORT TERM BONDS TO FINANCE BONUS

Proposes Measures He Says Will Raise Money Without Increasing Taxes

WOULD INCLUDE USE OF INTEREST IN BRITISH DEBT

Action on La Crosse Fish Station in Fortnight

(By Betty Pruitt Farrington) WASHINGTON, D. C.—(Special)—Passage of the soldiers' bonus without levying any additional taxes has found a champion in Senator Irvine L. Lenroot who proposed that the money necessary be raised by issuance of short term bonds and certificates.

This is the way out the perplexing problem now facing congressional leaders in the opinion of Mr. Lenroot. In a statement to the La Crosse Tribune and Leader-Press the senator said:

"Short term bonds and certificates is the best solution of this question. We are at the very lowest ebb of business now and our tax collections are at their lowest point. It would seem very ill advised to levy any additional taxes now when we can, in my judgment, without disturbing the money market or capital for industrial development easily float such loans as is necessary to make up any deficiency between the interest received from Great Britain on her debt and the amount required for the bonus. As rapidly as business conditions improve our present laws will produce additional revenue without levying any new taxes that will easily take care of the additional sums needed to pay the bonus."

Action on Local Fish Station Bill

Action on the long-pending bill for the establishment of a fish-rescue station at La Crosse will be sought within the next two weeks, according to Senator Lenroot. He said he would appear before the senate commerce committee where the bill is now pending and present witnesses from the Bureau of Fisheries, to urge reasons why it should be reported out.

The measure was originally introduced by former Representative John J. Egan, of La Crosse, now a member of the Interstate Commerce Commission. It was passed through the House, but has never been brought up in the senate.

Lenroot Quits Famine Aid

Senator Lenroot has withdrawn his name from the Advisory Council of the American Committee for Russian Famine Relief which has been charged with being "frankly communitistic" by Secretary of Commerce Hoover.

While making no criticism of the work of the committee, the senator (Continued on page 8)

WEATHER RECORD

For La Crosse and vicinity—Probable light snow tonight and Tuesday. Not much change in temperature.	
For Wisconsin—Forecasted weather tonight and Tuesday with probably snow in south and central portions. Not much change in temperature.	
For Minnesota—Light to heavy snow in north portion tonight and Tuesday. Not so cold in northwest portion. Not much change in temperature.	
For Iowa—Snow tonight and Tuesday. Not much change in temperature.	
TODAY'S TEMPERATURES	
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ELECTRICAL STORM IS REPORTED IN VICINITY OF SPARTA ON SUNDAY

FOR the first time since the year 1908, the fourth occurrence at this early date during the past fifty years, the local weather bureau reported an electrical storm in this vicinity early Sunday morning.

While the roar of thunder was not heard in La Crosse, it was reported that thunder and lightning both occurred at Sparta at 4:30 Sunday morning. Flashes of the lightning were seen in La Crosse, it was said.

The local weather bureau reports that electrical storms have occurred

Curtis Plane Hops OFF HERE BOUND FOR TWIN CITIES TODAY

Two Men and Woman Leave Salzer Field on Fast Air Trip to Minneapolis

SISTER OF MRS. KIDDER IS PASSENGER IN THE PLANE

Ship Here for Ten Days Repaired and Starts for Home

Apparently unconcerned over the temperature, snow or ice a fast Curtis plane containing two men and a woman hopped off from Salzer field here shortly after noon for Minneapolis.

In the party were Major Ray Miller and Lieut. Joseph Westover and Mrs. L. K. Meischer, sister of Mrs. W. V. Kidder and daughter of Mrs. C. K. Harrison of this city.

This Curtis machine dropped into La Crosse a week ago Friday, flying from Chicago to Minneapolis, where it was to be delivered to the Curtis agency. When the machine developed engine trouble in this vicinity, Major Miller and Lieut. Westover headed the plane into Salzer field, where it has since been stationed.

With the engine repaired and the plane in first class condition, the ship got away this afternoon with the expectation that a landing would be made on the Currier field in Minneapolis within an hour and a half.

While in the city Major Miller and Lieutenant Westover were guests at the C. K. Harrison home. Mrs. Meischer, here on a visit, embraced the opportunity to return to her home in Minneapolis as a passenger on the plane. Bundled up in furs and gaunet, Mrs. Meischer was made comfortable before starting on the flight and anticipated a pleasant trip.

"DEMI-VIRGIN" KEEPS GOING NEW YORK.—An injunction restraining license commissioner Gilchrist from interfering with the performance of "The Demi-Virgin" at a local theater was granted Monday by the appellate division of the supreme court to A. Woods, producer. The decision reversed one by the special term of the supreme court.

LAMPERT RUNS AGAIN MADISON, Wis. Florin J. Lampert, congressman from the Sixth Wisconsin district, Monday announced his candidacy for re-election. In his statement Congressman Lampert announced that he will support Senator La Follette and Governor Blaine in the coming campaign.

PLAN FOR WINONA CARNIVAL TRIP KNOWN TUESDAY

Detailed arrangements for train accommodations to the Winona winter carnival Wednesday will be announced in Tuesday night's Tribune, Chairman Harry Williams announced.

and increased production; excessive production; excessive expansion and speculation, followed hitherto by panic and forced liquidation; a long period of slow liquidation, business depression and stagnation and then revival.

Must Prepare for Re-action

"In the light of recent experience," the report warned, "we should remember when we again enter into a period of full prosperity, that a reaction will follow sooner or later; and if the flow of the incoming tide can be controlled so that the crest may not be reached too rapidly nor rise too high the subsequent reaction will be less severe and the next period of in-

dustrial and commercial activity and general prosperity will be marked by sounder methods, greater achievement along constructive lines, and by a longer duration than any which we have had before."

The board confined its report to an account of the operations of the organization for the year 1921 without offering any suggestions for legislation affecting the board of the federal reserve system. The earning assets of all federal reserve banks, the report said, amounted on December 28, 1921, to \$1,535,851,000, compared with \$8,265,027,000 on December 31, 1920, a reduction of \$1,727,176,000, or 33 per cent and a reduction of \$1-

but four times during the past fifty years in the month of February, the last one occurring in 1908.

Burns Barn at Oshkosh OSHKOSH, Wis.—An unusual storm Sunday morning, with lightning, rain, wind and hail, caused a tragedy on the farm of Edward Evans at Larsen, in the town of Winchester, Winnebago county. Lightning struck the barn, killing six cows, a calf, and a horse, causing a loss of nearly a thousand dollars. The barn did not take fire.

Snow Slide Hurls Loco Into Canyon And Four Are Dead

DENVER, Colo.—Four employees of the Denver and Salt Lake railroad were killed when a snowslide struck an engine belonging to that road near Loop, Colo., early Sunday morning. The men were swept down a canyon 700 feet deep.

Officials said that it was probable neither the bodies nor the engine could be recovered before spring.

List of Those Killed

Those killed were Paul Paulson of Denver, assistant roadmaster of the railroad; William Montgarvis, section foreman; his brother, George Montgarvis, and George Karnabas.

The engine had helped an east bound train over the continental divide and had started back to Tabernash, eight miles west of Corona, Colo., the station on the continental divide, the engine ran out of water as a result of the hard work of bucking snow drifts.

Alight to Shovel Snow

The engine was stopped and four men got out to shovel snow into the tank. They were killed. The engineer and fireman got inside the tank to distribute the snow. The engine turned over twice on the way down, but the men inside were protected by the walls of the tank.

VOCATIONAL SCHOOL OFFICE ESTABLISHED IN NEARBY RESIDENCE

Establishing Order after Long-Fellow School Fire and Will Soon Start Classes

Vocational school and child labor matters which have been cared for at the vocational office in the Long-fellow school, which was badly damaged by fire last Friday night, will be handled in a temporary office established in the residence at 611 Pine street, it was announced today.

A room has been engaged in this residence for an office. The telephone number is 2200.

It is expected that inside of a week vocational school classes will be accommodated in the Home, Lincoln, Washington and other schools, and classes will be resumed as soon as arrangements are completed.

ENGINEERS DECLARE JAPAN HAS OIL FOR THREE CENTURIES

NEW YORK.—Charges that propagandists have concealed the extent of Japan's oil possessions are being made in a statement issued Monday by the American Institute of Mining and Metallurgical Engineers at its annual meeting.

\$50,125,000 or 33 per cent from the high point reached on October 15, 1920.

Deflation of Currency

This reduction in loans, the report explained, was accompanied by a steady increase in gold reserve and an almost continuous reduction in federal reserve note circulation, the loan reduction continuing despite substantial decline in discount rates.

Gross earnings of the federal reserve banks for 1921 the report continued, amounted to \$122,865,000, compared with \$181,237,000 in 1920, the falling off in earnings being found in the volume of re-discounts and reductions in re-discount rates. Member bank borrowings, according to the report, showed a continuous decline from \$2,687,000,000 at the end of 1920 to about \$1,144,000,000 at the end of 1921, due to a reduction of over \$900,000,000 in the volume of federal reserve notes in circulation caused by lower prior levels and by the net imports of gold amounting to \$667,000,000, practically all of which found its way into federal reserve banks.

As a franchise tax the federal reserve banks, paid into the treasury \$50,974,000 for the year 1921.

Far Above Legal Reserve

On December 28, the report continued, the federal reserve banks held a gold reserve of \$2,870,000,000 and a combined reserve against member banks deposits of slightly more than 71 per cent. If the legal minimum reserve of 35 per cent could be set on against deposits, the report added, there would remain a gold reserve of more than 76 per cent against federal reserve notes in circulation.

"For some months past," the report said, "there has been a marked easing of interest. Notwithstanding some unfavorable features in the revenue laws the investment market is now absorbing securities at reasonable rates which could not have been considered a few months ago. Market quotations of liberty bonds have steadily advanced until they are now approaching par. Good railroad and industrial bonds have also appreciated and there have been some noticeable advances in standard stocks. High commodity prices and great business activity usually mean lower prices for bonds and other securities yielding a fixed income, while reduced commodity prices and lower money rates bring higher market prices for bonds."

DEATH JOINS AGED COUPLE DIVIDED FOR THIRTY YEARS

GENEVA.—A couple named Stalder separated for thirty years have been joined in death at Küssnacht, near Lucerne. For reasons they never told, the husband and wife a month after their marriage, living in opposite ends of the village, bowing to each other on the street but never speaking.

Recently the wife died. The husband wrote a note asking to be buried near her and an hour later he was found dead. Doctors found no indications of suicide and friends said he died of a broken heart.

U. S. PLANES WILL PATROL FLORIDA FOR LIQUOR SMUGGLERS

WASHINGTON.—Use of airplanes along the Florida coast in the war on rum smugglers was understood Monday to be under consideration by prohibition headquarters. Plans for the use of airplanes against rum runners were understood to be part of a gigantic program being worked out by prohibition authorities involving airplanes in the air, on the water and on land to stem the tide of illicit liquor flowing into the country from West India and other islands.

FRENCH DELEGATES FEAR FRANCE GOT "IN BAD" AT PARLEY

PARIS.—By The Associated Press.—The French delegation to the Washington armaments conference, returned to Paris Monday. Its members giving the impression that they were dissatisfied with the results of their mission, apparently feeling that their visit to Washington had caused regrettable misunderstandings concerning France in some circles in America.

EMPTY Pews. PASTOR STRIKES

BLACKPOOL, England.—The Rev. Adam Hamilton, pastor of a Congregational church here has announced his intention of going on strike for two weeks. He said the empty pews in his church showed there was something wrong either with his sermons or the church.

NO CONCEALED PACTS HARDING TELLS SENATE

Answers Hitchcock Demand for Record of Negotiations With Refusal; No Records Kept

AGAINST PUBLIC INTEREST TO BARE NEGOTIATIONS

Assures Senate there Were no Secret Understandings

WASHINGTON, D. C.—President Harding replying to the senate Monday on the Hitchcock resolution asking for information relative to the negotiation of the four-power Pacific treaty, stated it was impossible to furnish the requested information because most of the negotiations were conducted without keeping a record. The president said it would not be compatible with public interests to disclose the confidential negotiations of the treaty negotiations but he declared that there were no concealed understandings and no secret exchanges of notes.

Favor Yap Treaty

Almost coincident with the arrival of the president's letter at the senate the foreign relations committee of that body by a vote of ten to one ordered favorably reported the treaty between the United States and Japan regarding the Island of Yap.

The action followed a two-hour debate in the committee and was taken after several republican and democratic senators had indicated they would favor reporting the treaty to the senate but reserved the right to further discuss it on the floor. The single negative vote was cast by Senator Pittman, democrat, Nevada.

The president's reply to the Hitchcock resolution which was adopted by the senate last week follows:

Harding's Answer

"Responsive to senate resolution No. 237 asking for records, minutes, arguments, debates, conversations, etc., relating to the so-called four-power treaty, I have to advise that it is impossible to comply with the senate's request. Many of the things asked for in the resolution it is literally impossible to furnish because there were many conversations and discussions quite outside the conference, yet vital to its success. Naturally these are without record.

"I do not believe it to be compatible with public interests or consistent with the amenities of international negotiations to attempt to reveal informal and confidential conversations or discussions of which no record was kept, or to submit tentative suggestions or informal proposals, without which the arrival of desirable international understandings would be rendered unlikely if not impossible.

No Hidden Obligations

"While I am unable to transmit the information requested, I do, however, take this opportunity to say most emphatically that there were no concealed understandings and no secret exchanges of notes and there are no commitments whatever except as appear in the four-power treaty itself and the supplementary agreement, which are now in the hands of the senate."

(Without discussion the president's letter was referred to the foreign relations committee when it was read in the senate the motion being made by Senator Hitchcock.)

Schools Urge Treaties

Prompt ratification of the treaties growing out of the Washington armaments conference and participation by the United States in the Geneva conference, was urged in resolutions presented to President Harding Monday by a committee of students representing 235 universities and colleges. The committee was headed by Charles Denby, Jr., of Princeton, a nephew of Secretary Denby and included the regional directors of the National Student committee for the limitation of armament. The resolutions were said to be backed by 200,000 college students of both sexes.

BROKER FIRM FAILS

NEW YORK.—Suspension of Kohler, Bremer and Company, stock brokers, was announced from the postroom of the Consolidated Stock exchange.

CALL OUT RESERVES TO AID POLICEMAN SHOOTING AT RAT

CHICAGO, Ill.—Half a dozen patrolmen were dispatched pell-mell to the soft drink parlor of Patrick Stenson early Monday when six shots in rapid succession were heard by pedestrians. They burst into the place and saw Sergeant Michael O'Connor with a smoking pistol. Drawing weapons they advanced to his aid. He turned and faced them sheepishly. "I thought I was the star of 'the range,'" he said. "But I'm not."

He had fired six shots at a rat which had been bothering Stenson and had succeeded only in shooting a leg from a chair and another from a table.

VICEROY RELEASES SINN FEIN FOOTBALL MEN FROM PRISON

Irish Situation Reported Calmer With No Fighting in Region Around Belfast

DE VALERA AT CORK ATTACKS FREE STATE

Demand Repudiation of Treaty Making George "King of Erin"

BELFAST.—(By The Associated Press).—Members of the Irish republican army football team, captured at Drogheda last month, were released from the Londonderry jail Monday in conformity with the order issued Sunday night by Viscount Fitzalah, the viceroy.

The released men were conveyed in motor cars across the Irish free state border in Donegal by British troops. They were accompanied on the remainder of their journey by a Sinn Fein liaison officer.

Officers Ambushed

BELFAST.—By The Associated Press.—Lieut. Mead of the army service corps was shot dead and a staff surgeon was seriously wounded as a result of an attack from ambush along a road near Dublin this afternoon.

14,000 Troops in Ireland

DUBLIN.—(By The Associated Press).—Fourteen thousand British troops are now left in Ireland, according to a statement issued by the military branch of the Irish republican army. Fifty military barracks, and 150 police barracks have been taken over by the provisional government.

North is Calmer

BELFAST.—The situation in northern Ireland is considered calmer than at any time during the last week and the fear of a clash on the frontier has dwindled almost to the vanishing point. The rival forces however, retain their positions along the border and hope is expressed that the next few days will see them withdrawn as the proximity of such heavy armed forces is looked upon as a potential menace to peace. Meanwhile the joint liaison commissions are understood to have begun their operations. They will apparently institute a sort of patrol on each side of the border, using their influence where it may be needed in the interests of peace.

A party of class B specials, challenged a Crossley tender bearing a number of specials to the Cavan county line Sunday. The driver of the tender did not stop, whereupon a member of the challenging party fired, killing Constable McKenna. The incident, which is supposed to have been due to a mistake, occurred on the northern side of the border.

Army Rears De Valera

CORK.—A striking feature of the meeting held in Cork Sunday under the auspices of Danon de Valera was the presence of large numbers of the Irish republican army who were assembled by companies under their officers.

Daniel O'Callaghan, lord mayor of Cork, presided at the principal platform from which the speeches were delivered. Mr. De Valera proposed the same resolutions as were adopted at his meeting in Dublin last Sunday, and repeated virtually the same arguments as were then put forward, declaring that Ireland was in greater danger than it had been at any time in 750 years. The Countess Markievicz and Charles Burgess and other followers of De Valera supported the resolutions.

Cheered in Tipperary

The train on which Mr. De Valera traveled Saturday evening to Cork was met at the railway station at Thurles by 2,000 persons carrying Sinn Fein flags. Addressing the people Mr. De Valera said he was glad (Continued on page 8)

SALES TAX IS ONE OF MEANS TO BE DEBATED

White House Bombarded With Telegrams for and Against the Compensation Bill

LEGION COMMANDER SAYS INTERESTS ARE OPPOSING

May Make Other Options More Attractive to Save Cash

WASHINGTON.—Majority members of the house ways and means committee referred back Monday to the special tax sub-committee the whole problem of how the soldiers' bonus is to be financed. It was announced the subcommittee would meet Tuesday and would go into the question of sales tax among other things.

Opponents of the sales tax began to lay their plans at once for a fight. Representative Dickenson, republican Iowa, a leader of the agricultural bloc, called a meeting of republican opponents for late Monday.

It was said that aside from referring the finance question to the subcommittee the majority members discussed the Fordney bill as originally introduced and approved some slight changes. It is indicated that further action by the majority would await a report from the tax sub-committee.

In Executive Session

The majority members of the committee went into executive session Monday to wrestle anew with the soldier bonus question.

Coincident with the meeting the statement was made by a white house official that many letters and telegrams had reached President Harding opposing enactment at this time of bonus legislation, while the legislative committee of the American Legion made public a telegram to the president from the legion commander asking that legislation be no longer delayed.

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'Would Reduce Cash

The house ways and means committee members were not expected when they met, to take up the problem of finances for several days. Much of the time was given over to consideration of the original Fordney bill as amended by a special subcommittee. No changes in the five options contained in the measure were made by the sub-committee but the question of making more attractive the insurance, land settlement, home aid and vocational training options so as to reduce the cash payments to a minimum was before the entire committee.

Successors that the cash payments be deferred for a year or longer, recently have not been favorably received by leading republicans in committee and this matter was expected to come up for discussion. Chairman Fordney has said that in his judgment the bill should provide for beginning the cash payments next October 1.

Call Obstacles not Genuine

Mr. MacNider in his telegram declared the legion believes that the issues now being raised relative to the revenue features required by the president to be included in the bill "are being used solely for the purpose of misleading the general public, adding that the legion also believes it is expressing the sentiment of the people of the country when it asks that "a committed administration allow the passage of what we believe to be the most constructive measure that can be devised."

The national commander further asserted that whenever the people of the United States have been given an opportunity to voice their feelings on the question of the bonus their answer has always been unmistakable.

Paid for War Contracts

"Had capital and labor been drafted when men's lives were drafted" the telegram continued, "the present aggravated situation would not exist. When it was a question of reimbursing manufacturers for war contracts (Continued on page 8)

ERSKINE DALE PIONEER

by JOHN FOX Jr.



(Continued)
Then Erskine's eyes darkened.
"Uncle Harry, you may think me foolish, but I don't like to trust you. What was he doing with those British traders out in the northwest? he was not buying furs. It's absurd. Why was he hand in glove with Lord Dummore?"
"Lord Dummore had a daughter," was the dry reply, and Erskine flung out a gesture that made words unnecessary. "Cameled Dale crossed the porch and put his hand on the lad's shoulder."
"Erskine," he said, "don't worry— and—don't give up hope. Be patient, wait, come back to us. Go to William and Mary. Fit yourself to be one of us in all ways. Then everything may yet come out in the only way that would be fitting and right." The boy blushed and the colonel went on earnestly:
"I can think of nothing in the world that would make me quite so happy."
"It's no use," the boy said tremulously. "I'm not fit for her for this life. I can't go over my life in the woods, and among the Indians. I can't explain, but I get choked and



All Erskine did was to wait the thrusting blade aside.
"I can't breathe—such a longing for the woods comes over me and I can't help me. I must go and nothing can hold me."
"Your father was that way," said Erskine, "but he never did. Good night, and God bless you."
Erskine sat where he was.
"That path, those flowers, that house, the cattle, those grain fields, these singing black folk, were all— all his if he but said the words."
There was a light step in the hall, and Barbara came swiftly out and dropped on the topmost step with her chin in both hands. Almost at once she seemed to feel his presence, for she turned her head quickly.
"Erskine!" As quickly he rose, embarrassed beyond speech.
"I suppose I will always feel guilty if I have made you unhappy," he finally blurted.
"You haven't made me unhappy. I don't know what you have made me. Papa says a girl does not understand and no man can, but he does better than anybody. You saw how I felt if you had killed him, but you don't know how I would have felt if he had killed you. I don't myself."
She began putting her hands gently and helplessly together, and again she dropped her chin into them with her eyes lifted to the moon.
"Whenever you look at that moon over in that dark wilderness, I wish you would please think of your little cousin—will you?"
"You don't know how often our thoughts will cross, and that will be a great comfort to me. Sometimes I am afraid. There is a wild strain on my mother's side, and it is in me—I am afraid I may sometimes do something very foolish, and it won't be me at all. It will be somebody that

"died long ago." She put both her hands over both his and held them tight.
"I never, never distrusted you. I trust you more than anybody else in the whole world except my father, and he might be away or"— she gave a little sob—"he might get killed. I want you to make me a promise."
"Anything," said the boy huskily. "I want you to promise me that no matter when, no matter where you are, if I need you and send for you, you will come." And Indians like he put his forehead on both her little hands.
"Thank you. I must go now," he whispered, and the boy rose and awkwardly put out his hand.
"Kiss me, good-by," she put her arms about his neck, and for the first time in his life, the boy's lips met a woman's. For a moment she put her face against his and at his ear was a whisper.
"Good-by, Erskine." And she was gone—swiftly—leaving the boy in a dazed world of falling stars through which a white light leaped to heights his soul had never dreamed.
XVII
With the head of Clark's column of stalwart backwoodsmen went Dave Yandell and Erskine Dale.
During the months, Kashaskie fell, then Vincennes passed into the hands of the Americans and there came one morning when Erskine went forth at dawn, and his coming into the Shawnee camp was like the coming of a king. Early Morn greeted him with glowing eyes, his foster-mother brought him food, looking proudly upon him, and old Kahoon harangued his braves around the council pole.
"My son spoke words of truth," he proclaimed eagerly. "He warned us against the king over the waters and told us to make friends with the Americans. My son is the true prophet. Bring out the false one and Crooked Lightning and Black Wolf, whose life my son saved though the two were enemies. My son shall do with them as he pleases."
Many young braves sprang willingly forward and the three were haled before Erskine.
Erskine rose and fixed his eyes sternly on the cowering prophet:
"He shall go forth from the village and shall never return. He is a false prophet and he must go." He turned to Crooked Lightning:
"Crooked Lightning shall go or stay as he pleases. Black Wolf shall stay, for the truth will need him as a hunter and a warrior against the English foes of the Long Knives."
The braves granted approval. Black Wolf and Crooked Lightning averted their faces and the prophet shambled unceremoniously away.
Again old Kahoon proclaimed solemnly: "It is well!" and went back to his tent. There he sank wearily on a buffalo skin and pleaded with the boy to stay with them as chief in his stead. He was very old, and now that peace was made he was willing to die. If Erskine would but give his promise, he would never rise again from where he lay.
Erskine shook his head and the old man sorrowfully turned his face.
And yet Erskine lingered on and on at the village.
Of the white woman he had learned little other than that she had been brought from another tribe and adopted by old Kahoon; but it was plain that since the threatened burning of her she had been held in high respect by the whole tribe.
He had never talked with her, but

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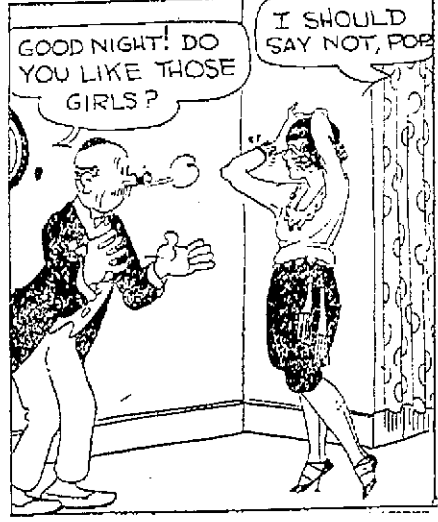
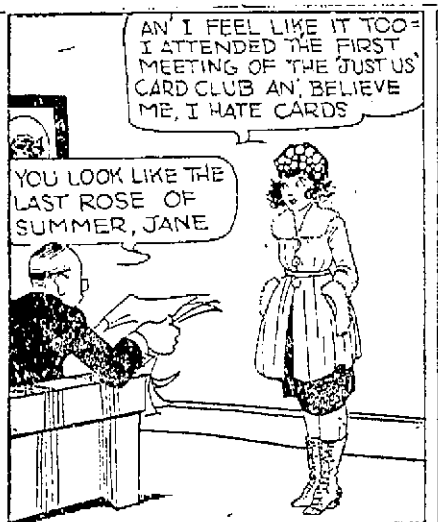
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THE AFFAIRS OF JANE



THE DUFFS



A DEFENSIVE ALLIANCE

BY YOUNG

THE VALUATION FLUCTUATES

BY ALLMAN

he never moved about the camp that he did not feel her eyes upon him. And Early Morn's big soft eyes, too, never seemed to leave him. She brought him food, she sat at the door of his tent, she followed him about the village and here herself openly as his slave.
At last old Kahoon, who would not give up his great hope, pleaded with him to marry her, and while he was talking the girl stood at the door of the tent and interrupted them. Her mother's eyes were growing dim, she said. Her mother wanted to talk with White Arrow and look upon his face before her sight should altogether pass.
Nor could Erskine know that the white woman wanted to look into the eyes of the man she hoped would become her daughter's husband. But Kahoon did, and he took Erskine to the white woman's tent. She sat on a cup of boiling water upon it, poured into the opening, with a blue just inside the lower half of her face, but across the upper half, and she listened eagerly to his every word, and drew from him every detail of his life as far back as he could remember.
Poor soul, it was the first opportunity for many years that she had to talk with any white person who had been in the Eastern world, and freely and frankly he held nothing back.
When in turn he questioned her, she told him little, and his own native delicacy made him understand. She, too, had been captured with a son who would have been about Erskine's age, but her boy and her husband had been killed. She had borne male the tent and interrupted them. Her mother's eyes were growing dim, she said. Her mother wanted to talk with White Arrow and look upon his face before her sight should altogether pass.

er daughter she felt she could never go back to her own people.
She loved her daughter; she would not subject her, or herself, to humiliation among the whites and, any-how, there was no one to whom she could go. Her concern was with her daughter—what would become of her? Many a young brave, besides Black Wolf, had put his heart at her little feet, but she would have none of them. And so Erskine was the only

on sent answer to the mother's prayer—that was the thought behind her mournful eyes.
And the while the girl had crouched near, looking at Erskine with dog-like eyes, and when he rose to go the woman dropped the blanket from her face and got to her feet. Shyly she lifted her hands, took his face between them, bent close, and studied it searchingly.
(Continued tomorrow)

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REWARD OF THE RIGHTeous
MARK the perfect man, and behold the upright; for the end of that man is peace.—Isaiah 61: 1

Chief Justice Vinje

It is a distinguished company in which Asa John Vinje takes his place this week as chief justice of the Supreme Court of Wisconsin. Since the court became a separate organization in 1853 there have been nine chief justices before the present one. Whiton, Dixon, Ryan, Cole, Lyon, Orton, Cassoday, Winslow and Siebeker are names which have given luster to the judicial history of Wisconsin and the high character of the men who bore them is a prized heritage of the people of the state.

The new chief justice is a native of Norway, where he was born in 1837. He came to this country with his parents in 1869. His life story is chiefly that of a student. After completing his work in the grade schools in Iowa, where the family had settled, he attended Grinnell College at Grinnell and Northwestern College at Des Moines. After three years of teaching he entered the University of Wisconsin in 1878, and graduated from the College of Letters and Science in 1881, and from the Law School three years later. He worked his way through school here, serving a portion of the time as assistant to the then law librarian, John R. Berryman, and later as assistant to the supreme court reporter. From 1891 to 1895 he practiced law in Superior. On August 10 of the latter year, he was appointed by Governor Upham, judge of the Eleventh Judicial Circuit to succeed Judge Marshall who had been elevated to the supreme bench. Fifteen years later he was appointed by Governor Davidson to the Supreme Court to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Justice Dodge. Thus for twenty-seven years he had held a judicial position.

In every way Chief Justice Vinje is fitted to uphold the traditions of the high office he fills. He is a man of scholarly tastes. Even in his student days he was known as a very earnest and thorough student of the laws. He has never sought office of any kind, and when first appointed to the circuit bench did not even know that his name was being considered. It was the record of his thorough work as a student and as an assistant in the law library, that commended him to the attention of the appointing power. His opinions since he has been a member of the Supreme Court have been marked by strong reasoning power and a clarity and directness which have given him a high place in the estimate of the members of the state bar. His work represents in a noticeable way the spirit of the great court of which he is a part, a court that has been steadily progressive to keep abreast of the changing needs of society, yet has always impressed the public with its sane conservatism.

Nothing is Impossible

COULD you keep a fire burning under water? It has just been done, fifty feet under the surface of New York harbor. Near Staten Island, a 36-inch steel water pipe on the floor of the ocean was smashed by a dredge. It had to be cut away. Divers came up out of the muddy depths and reported that the water immediately extinguished their steel-cutting acetylene torches. But an "underwater fire chisel" has been developed by a company that salvages submarine wrecks. This chisel was brought into play. As it burns, it generates a gas which forces back the water on all sides, leaving an open or hollow space for the flame.

That is scientific magic. If the inventor had lived 500 years ago, his exhibition would have made even kings kneel to him in superstitious terror. Archimedes, who discovered the principle of the fulcrum, said he could move the earth if some one gave him a fulcrum, a long enough lever and something away from the earth to stand on. Nothing was impossible, to Archimedes. Yet, if he's been asked to weigh the earth, he probably would have said it couldn't be done unless he had a big enough pair of scales and a star to rest them on.

Modern scientists, with a delicate mechanism which measures the attractive power of lead and other elements, have discovered that the earth is about six times as heavy as an equivalent bulk of water. Thus the earth has been ac-

curately weighed—found to tip the scales at 6,000 billions of billions of tons.

Such staggering achievements should inspire all troubled and discouraged people. All problems can be solved. The solution is found by the one who never gives up the fight, who refuses to recognize the phantom, defeat.

Not so Bad

YOU often hear this: "People don't go to church as they used to." But a religious census shows that nearly 45,000,000 Americans are church members. Not so bad, in population of about 106,000,000. Guiding these members to salvation are 200,000 clergymen, including all denominations. If every member attended church regularly, congregations would average 230. Many are outside the fold. Attendance is irregular. But the churches are making steady headway. Membership has gained more than 4,000,000 in five years. No news is more important than this. Real civilization did not begin until the birth of Christ. Progress is measured by the degree to which His teachings are lived up to in daily life.

Take Off Blue Specs

TAKE off blue spectacles after reading this: India reports that her foreign trade is picking up, also a decided improvement in internal business conditions. The world-wide collapse of prices, which started hard times, began in India in February, 1920. Next month it broke out violently in Japan. Then traveled round the world like a contagious disease, reaching us in May. Experts have insisted: "World will be definitely getting back on its feet when recovery starts where depression began." That desirable situation has arrived. It looks encouraging.

Suffocation

A MINE is sealed up air-tight at Pana, Ill., to extinguish a fire raging underground. After two weeks, oxygen in the air now in the mine will be exhausted. The fire will flicker out. That is what happens when you work or sleep in stale air. Just so much breathing, then the oxygen in the air runs low and the lungs are without fuel. To keep the fire of life burning long and brightly in your body, plenty of fresh air. Stale air is as deadly as spoiled food.

The governor of Kansas says March 22 will be no-tobacco day. Perhaps he can bum a little, though.

The ex-kaiser says he wants to be friendly with America. Sorry, but we are broke.

A friend in need is a dollar gone.

In Ye Olden Times

TEN YEARS AGO TODAY

One of the acts on the bill at the Majestic this week is stated by three local young men, Aubrey Richmond, Gussie Roy and Floyd Kulinski. The act is a melange of different feats executed with ease and equal to many professional acts now holding forth on the vaudeville stage.

The store building east of the postoffice in Onaska and formerly occupied by the J. L. Mackey Hardware company was sold Thursday to Arthur Mathewson of La Crosse.

The duties of the state free employment bureau will be increased in the near future so as to include the inspection of factories, laundries, restaurants, telephone offices, and in short every place where men and women are employed. The inspection among men will be conducted by Superintendent Kleeber and that among women by his assistant, Mrs. Clara Stathem.

The first mail chute to be installed in La Crosse was put into use yesterday. The chute was put into the McMillan building last week and it was inspected and approved by federal officers this morning. Assistant Postmaster C. C. Looney declared today that every building having elevator service should have a mail chute.

TWENTY YEARS AGO TODAY

A movement has been started in Winona by J. Strimman, formerly of La Crosse, for the organization of a second electric lighting plant.

W. H. Clinton of Chicago is searching for a site in La Crosse upon which to erect a plant for the manufacture of stores and furnaces. Mr. Clinton declares that if he can obtain sufficient encouragement he will build up a substantial business here.

F. P. Hixon of La Crosse has been elected president of a company formed for the purpose of manufacturing granite top dressing for paving, with headquarters at Merrill, Wis.

This evening a meeting of the manufacturers' committee of the board of trade will be held for the purpose of conferring with an eastern capitalist who proposes to locate a pump factory in La Crosse.

There was a railroad race from Sparta to this city between the Milwaukee and Northwestern roads which was truly exciting yesterday afternoon. The trains are due here at almost the same time. The Northwestern was by a margin of about two seconds.

THIRTY YEARS AGO TODAY

It is reported that the Diamond Joe Steamboat line will build a large warehouse in La Crosse at the foot of State street. A large coal yard will also be established here for the coaling of the boats of the line.

The new La Crosse shoe factory will be ready for operation in April. The factory is located in the upper story of Mons Anderson's new block on North Second street. Ten large rooms are to be occupied and these quarters can be enlarged when necessary. Mr. Andrew Quinn is the promoter of the enterprise. He stated today that he thinks La Crosse is one of the finest places in the west to establish a shoe factory and he is glad he came here.

The girls of the Sixth ward school have organized what is known as a Bean Bag club. The purpose of the club is to furnish beautiful outdoor exercise. Dee Carley is president; Emma Rawlinson is secretary, and Nimble Dandovich is treasurer.

Captain C. N. Atkinson of the Gateway City Guard has received his commission from Governor Peck.

Thomas Williams has opened to the public a new and spacious livery and boarding stable at 118 North Sixth street. The stable is lighted by electricity and has every convenience for boarding horses. Mr. Williams has bought several new harnesses and is having two carriages built by the La Crosse Wallace Carriage Works. Mr. Williams has also placed a telephone in his office for the convenience of patrons.

Millard Revisited

By JANE OSBORN

Five years had sped since Dalton Drew was graduated from Millard College, and now he was revisiting the little college town for the first time in all that long lapse of years. To be sure it was a matter of business, a client of the law firm of which he was a junior partner lived in the outskirts of Millard, and Dalton Drew had been detailed to take this necessary trip to see him. Dalton arrived at a hotel of the evening preceding the morning when he was to call on the client, and at the railroad station got in touch with one of his friendly brothers whom he knew to be still a resident of Millard. Benson Forsyth had married and lived at home, but he apologized to Dalton, as his wife was taking a vacation, and as the road had taken a French leave, he could not play a very good host.

Dalton, however, took a taxi to the home of Benson Forsyth. "There is nothing to do in the house," explained Benson, "and there isn't a thing to town by way of amusement. Sometimes we have a good show. You'll have to go down to the Millard House and have dinner and then come home here with me for a quiet evening."

"What is the matter with Benson?" asked Dalton, recalling the confectionery restaurant that had been a veritable institution among the college boys when he was in college. "Barlow hasn't gone out of business?"

"That's the trouble," complained Benson. "Barlow still gets all the business. Tonight is junior prom. The whole junior class will be dining at Barlow's with their girls. We can't probably get a table. Barlow always puts up extra tables and has extra waiters, but it's enough to take your appetite away."

Dalton did not understand, so Benson explained. "To see all those girls—most of them just foolish girls from country homes—coming to their first big college dance. Going to Barlow's with some grass-green college student is a great event. Some of them are pretty enough, but no style. After what you're used to in the city, I'm afraid you would be disgusted."

"Still," deliberated Dalton. "We were just as green when we were juniors, and the girls we thought perfect were probably just as simple and demure. Fact is, Benson, I've an idea it would be interesting. I'm no great admirer of the self-possession, self-satisfied girl of the big city. Let's go to Barlow's."

That is how it happened that Drew and Forsyth, of the class of 1915, looking quite worldly-wise and undisturbed to the boys and girls who were dining at Barlow's that night, took their places at a small table set up in one of the aisles. As they sat there, the students who felt a little embarrassed at the contrast, they made no comments until the waiter had set before them the first course of the famous Barlow table d'hôte, especially elaborate on the night of one of the big college dances.

"They're not so tame looking as I thought," said Benson Forsyth with considerable self-consciousness as he became aware of the fact that he had been looking with considerable interest at the diners at a table near by, which, however, Dalton Drew could not have seen without turning around in his chair. "I dare say girls, even country girls, are more sophisticated. I know how to dress better and all that than girls of that sort used to. At the table behind you, you can't see them now—there are a couple of early looking juniors and two of the trimmest looking little twins you ever saw—bobbed hair, jade earrings, peaches and cream complexion. Do you see anything that looks good to you?"

"Yes," said Dalton, "the girl at the little table to the right."

Benson Forsyth turned enough to notice the girl in question. "You're joking—poor girl, she looks scared enough to choke. And she's with her brother. He's Jack Mateland's younger brother, fraternally brothers of ours. Poor girl, I'm sure she's plain. Jack and Tom are good-looking fellows."

Walton Drew looked again, reflecting on the obvious difference in his own and Benson Forsyth's taste. To be sure, the girl he admired was not well dressed, likewise she was lacking in assurance. The stiff hat that crowned her smoothly brushed hair seemed too large and from time to time the girl lifted a slender but awkward index finger straight before her nose to rub the brim of the hat that seemed in peril of crushing her face entirely. When she did this her round eyes, that she kept wide open and that looked a little humid from excitement, seemed to cross just a small fraction of a degree. Awkward as this gesture and expression was, it struck Dalton Drew as amusing and really delightful. He enjoyed his feeling of admiration the more because it took considerable perspicacity to realize that she was really very pretty. He cast his eyes about the dining room, turned enough to catch a glimpse of the twins, and reflected that this Jane Mateland was undoubtedly the prettiest girl at Barlow's—a fact that he did not communicate to the unappreciative Benson Forsyth.

When Benson and Dalton rose to leave their table it happened that Tom Mateland, junior, and his sister had also risen at the same time. At the door there were introductions and an exchange of the fraternal handshake between the men.

Dalton Forsyth stepped ahead with Jane Mateland when they had gone out. "You are going to the prom?" he asked, and Jane, with some confusion, said that she was not.

"She will go some other time," laughed Benson. "If women have been going about it for a week, Jane was going to be allowed to go to the prom this year. Her grandmother gave her \$50 to buy her first evening dress, and she bought it and all the fixings, but none of the boys asked her. Can't blame them. Then they counted on having Tom take her, but Tom, it seems had got engaged to a girl of his

SCHOOL SPORTS

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The Boys and Girls Newspaper

The Biggest Little Paper in the World

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ONE REEL YARNS

THE RED THUMB PRINT

"I'm so upset!" exclaimed Mrs. Rose. "The strangest thing has happened!"

Kenton, who had been thinking about basketball practice, while he absently devoured hot biscuits, looked up.

"I discovered a bloody finger print," "Good gracious!" exclaimed Aunt Margaret, who was always afraid of being murdered, while she slept. "What on earth?"

"I came home a night," Mrs. Rose continued, "and found the house locked as usual, for Kenton was out playing somewhere about the school, and did not get in until later. I came around to the back door, as my arms were full of groceries. And there, on the door jamb, as I went to open the door, I saw a red thumb print."

"You haven't heard any excitement in the neighborhood, have you?" said Aunt Margaret. "Nobody been murdered, has there?"

"No, that I know of. I don't think it's as bad as that. Some one probably got into the Meyers' chicken coop and stole some of their chickens and wrote their necks maybe, and then tried to break in here and steal something. At least that's the way I've figured it out."

"It's lucky we weren't here," said Aunt Margaret. "He might have killed me!"

"I might call in a finger print expert," mused Mrs. Rose. "I might be the print of some rogue. What do you think, Kenton?"

Kenton looked rather queer. "Aw, I—I," he stammered. "I came home early and I was hungry and got some of that new red raspberry jam and—I looked up and caught a twinkle in my mother's eye. 'Mother! You know it all the time!'"

The magician was producing eggs from a top-hat. "I bet," he said to the boy on the front row, "you never saw any one get eggs without hens."

"Sure," said the boy. "My mother can do that. She keeps ducks."

Teacher: "In what course do you expect to graduate?"

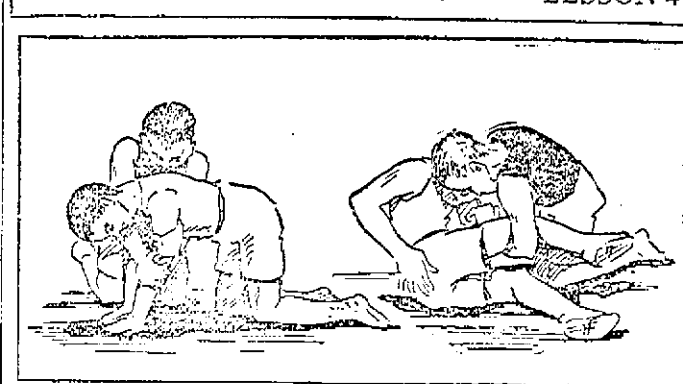
Student: "In the course of time, I guess."

"Say, Pete, why do you always have holes in your shoes when your father's a cobbler?"

"Well, why has your little brother only one tooth when your father's a dentist?"

REAL WRESTLING

LESSON 4



By FRED MEYER

175 Pound and Heavyweight Champion Amateur Wrestler of United States

There are a number of ways of getting your opponent off his hands and knees and making these is the hold known as the "further arm," executed in this manner:

You, who are the man on the defense, let us suppose, are on your hands and knees at the side of your opponent and facing him. The position is shown on the left side of the above picture. Slip your left arm under your opponent's chest, get a firm hold on his left arm—the "further arm"—near the elbow. Thrust your right arm under his chin and grasp his further arm with your right hand.

Pull your opponent's further arm toward you. As you do so, bear against his side with your body. As a result of having one arm-brace pulled from under him and your weight bearing against him, your man should topple over on his side.

If you should happen to be the man on the defense, and your opponent attempts a further arm on you, be quicker than he and do not allow him to secure a firm grip. Keep your hands spread far apart to make it more difficult for your opponent to get a strong grip. There is no regular break for the further arm once it has been secured.

Now let us suppose that by use of the further arm or some other hold you do roll your opponent over on his side. The next thing to do is to get his shoulders square on the mat. The "jackknife" hold is one good way of doing this.

Your opponent is lying on his side. Quickly thrust your left arm under his right leg at the knee. Place your right arm about his neck backwards; that is, instead of your right hand being on the left side of his head when your arm is around his neck, it will be on the right side.

This position is illustrated by the right-hand side of the picture printed here. Lock your two hands together. Bear down on your opponent's head and pull his knee up as though you were attempting to make head and knee meet. If the man is not quick enough to get his head from under your arm before you get a firm hold, nine chances out of ten he will have to twist over on his shoulders because of the strain placed upon his back by your hold.



TO-DAY'S PUZZLE

Begin at a certain letter in the following line, and by skipping a certain number of letters each time you will find a familiar quotation: SARPLET-NANEYOSADVOELDFIGSTATPSER-NRNEYAERANRUNSEND. Solution to-morrow.

Abe Martin



C. W. DICKINSON.

The Floor Held

"Did your wife stop when it dropped on the floor?" asked one man of his friend.

"Sure," was the answer. "Did you think it would go through?"—Western Christian Advocate.

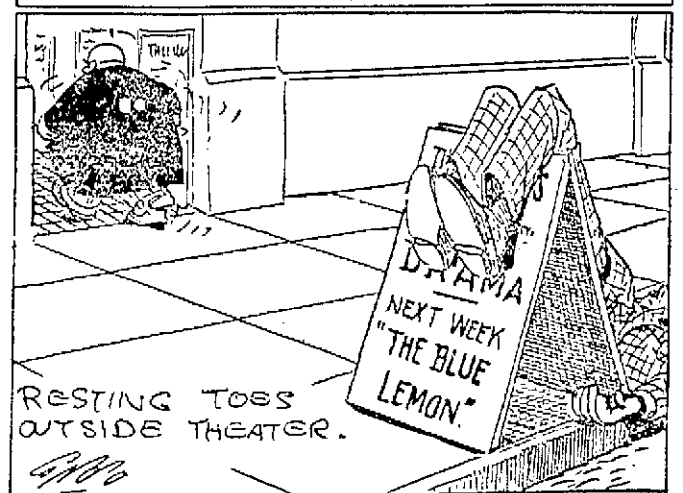
Modest an' modish look lots alike, but they're awful different. It's mighty fine 't' be educated an' informed if you kin hide it successfully enough 'n' make 'em 'buddy around you uncomfortable.

EVERETT TRUE

BY CONDO



RESTING TOES THROUGH BACK OF SEAT IN THEATER.



Public Debate

THE WATER COLOR EXHIBIT

Those who have taken advantage of the opportunity to examine the present exhibit of pictures at the Chamber of Commerce, now in progress, have been agreeably surprised at the surpassing quality of the pictures as a whole, and not a few of the artists of the city unhesitatingly express the opinion that, without regard to the medium in which the pictures are produced, the exhibit is the best that has ever been brought to the city. Personally, I have not had the privilege of seeing all the exhibits, but certainly in quality it surpasses anything I have seen here. It has

WAR ON COFFEE, TEA FOR PUPILS MILK WEEK PLAN

Community Council Fosters
Campaign to Substitute "Na-
ture's Perfect Food"

1,685 PUPILS IN THE GRADE
SCHOOLS WHO DRINK COFFEE

Week of Feb. 27 to March 5 Set
Aside for the Campaign

"The basis of child welfare is health and physical development; the foundation of child health lies in proper feeding. In the broad aspects, the proper feeding of children revolves around a public recognition of the dependence of the human animal upon his cattle. The white race cannot survive without dairy products."

With these emphatic words Herbert Hoover, now secretary of commerce, addressed the Associated Charities of San Francisco. It is to bear out these statements and to show why the dairy industry and its products are the most valuable assets that any country holds that La Crosse county milk week is being planned.

Interest is increasing. Interest in this coming campaign is growing from day to day, as the figures from schools are coming in, showing the large number of children in the grade schools who are daily drinking tea and coffee. Ever since war time the La Crosse County Community Council and its affiliated organizations of the various city and county clubs together with the county and city superintendents of schools with their entire force of teachers and especially some of the city grade teachers have been pondering, driving, striving to emphasize the necessity of milk to the growing child.

Much has been done, but these forces have called a halt and are now demanding: Hands up! to the parents of the growing children in La Crosse county. They have erected a sign "Milk Week" which is, Stop! Look! Listen! to every parent.

War on Tea and Coffee

The La Crosse County Community Council has with the earnest cooperation of city and county teachers made a survey of the number of children in the schools actually drinking tea and coffee.

In the city of La Crosse alone there are in the public schools 1,685 children from kindergarten to the eighth grade drinking tea and coffee. This does not include the parochial schools. One little girl aged 8 years in the fourth grade drinks five cups of coffee a day. Many drink three cups daily, and many more drink two cups daily.

Milk Called Perfect Food

While the increased consumption of milk in the city schools has increased materially this year yet these figures are declared to be appalling and it is up to every person interested in the welfare and citizenship of our county to be a booster for nature's perfect food—milk—and to get back of the Milk week campaign, which starts February 27, and ends March 5.

"Cultivate the appetite and taste for milk," is the slogan and every child in La Crosse county is drinking milk three times a day.

IN THE MORNING PAPERS A Summary of the News

BELFAST.—Many members of the Irish republican army attended the meeting in Cork under the auspices of Eamon De Valera.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Chairman Kelley of the sub-committee on naval appropriation, said that congress will not spend a cent on the upkeep next year of old warships that are unable to contribute to national defense.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—The United States geological survey announced a decrease of more than 200,000,000 tons in 1921 compared with 1920.

BERLIN.—Karl Radek and Leonid Krasin, representatives of the Russian soviet, are on their way to Moscow with proposals from France, Great Britain and Germany looking toward Russian economic reconstruction. It was announced.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind.—United Mine Workers of the Illinois district promised Alexander Howat and other expected miners continued financial support at least until April 1, it was announced.

CHICAGO, Ill.—Harold F. McCormick announced the engagement of his daughter, Mathilde, to Max Oser, Swiss riding master.

Nepa was born in the ancient town of Antium on the Tiberian sea. When reformers hold their meetings a miserable time is enjoyed by all.

For Raw Sore Throat

At the first sign of a raw, sore throat rub on a little Musterole with your fingers.

It goes right to the spot with a gentle tingle, loosens congestion, draws out soreness and pain.

Musterole is a clean, white ointment made with oil of mustard. It has all the strength of the old-fashioned mustard plaster without the blister.

Nothing like Musterole for croupy children. Keep it handy for instant use. 35 and 65 cents in jars and tubes; hospital size, \$3.

BETTER THAN A MUSTARD PLASTER



LA FOLLETTE IN ATTACK ON HARDING OVER BONUS AND CONFERENCE TREATIES

HOLDS PRESIDENT TOOL OF PRIVILEGE AND IMPERIALISM

Classes Wilson and Harding To-
gether in Attitude Toward
Foreign Affairs

MILWAUKEE, Wis.—The "twin pillars" of the American nation—freedom and independence—are today being battered down by the "vandalism of privilege and monopoly which have secured control of every branch of government, and are using its great powers, both in domestic and foreign policy, to protect and extend their enormous wealth," Senator Robert M. La Follette declared here Sunday afternoon in an address at a meeting in commemoration of General Frederick von Steuben, the revolutionary leader.

The Washington conference which he declared to have only one primary object—"to make the world safe for imperialism"—was condemned by the senator, who attacked the administration of President Harding for what he said was its attempt to encroach upon the congressional prerogatives, hampering the agricultural bloc and attempting to thwart passage of the soldier bonus bill.

Classes Harding With Wilson

The people of the United States must determine, Senator La Follette declared, "whether they will return to the fundamental principles upon which their government was established and devote their lives and energies to building up a great people, or whether they will follow the path along which Woodrow Wilson and Warren G. Harding have attempted to lead them of becoming a great western empire, a party to the world's intrigues, hated by all peoples and respected by none."

"Never in the entire history of this country," the senator continued, "have there been such powerful influences working to destroy all the institutions, the traditions and all the liberties that have made the name of the United States great and respected throughout the world. Never have the American people been in such danger of losing their liberty and sacrificing their independence."

"The free government of the United States is being destroyed," he declared, "by the constant encroachments of the executive and judicial branches upon the rights and powers of congress."

Attacks Bonus Stand

"President Harding, it would seem either did not take the meaning of the last election seriously to heart, or has forgotten it altogether, for on July 12, 1921, when the bill to provide compensation for the veterans of the world war was under consideration, he so far overstepped the prerogatives of his office as to appear before the senate and argue against the passage of the pending measure."

"Spreading this president in this unconstitutional act were the guiding forces of privilege and special privilege who were bitterly opposed to the enactment of legislation to provide substantial relief for the veterans of the world war, and who had exhausted their enormous machinery of influence and propaganda in an attempt to defeat this all too meager compensation for the young men who have their lives and blood for their country."

"Think of it! Nine hundred thousand of the veterans of the world war, to whom had been promised every consideration while the conflict was being waged, were out of work and penniless, and yet these men were denied relief on the specious pretext that a treasury which was full enough to give \$500,000,000 to the railroads, and to squander other hundreds of millions on the shipping board, would be bankrupted by affording them a measure of compensation for their sacrifices to which they were entitled and which the American people wanted them to have."

Discusses "Farm Bloc"

"The mild insurgency on behalf of agricultural bloc," coupled with the action of some of the more independent members of the bloc in partially restoring the super-tax rates upon large incomes, was the moving cause of the determination on the part of the president and the other temporary

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leaders of the republican party to break down the agricultural bloc and to destroy its effectiveness by removing from the senate one of its leaders.

Turning to a discussion of foreign policies, Senator La Follette said that the lesson of the defeat of the league of nations by congress had apparently been lost on the present administration, or else he declared "the times which controlled President Wilson and also control President Harding are so powerful that they both prefer political extinction to resistance of their dictates."

"The link is hardly yet dry," the senator said, "upon the stigmata of the delegates of the United States to new treaties and a new alliance which in many respects are more iniquitous and fraught with greater perils to the United States than was the treaty of Versailles."

Treaties Save British

"These treaties, and the new alliances which they contain, have only one primary object—to make the world safe for imperialism. This and not the abolition of the chances of war, is the keynote even of the treaty for naval limitation. It was to save taxes and to prevent bankruptcy of the British empire that all the stupendous propaganda machinery of the world was released to insure the success of the Washington conference."

"The 'four power treaty' is nothing more or less than a binding alliance with three great imperialistic nations of the present time, which pledges the United States to place all her resources of men and money at their disposal whenever they are attacked."

"When war comes and a nation is attacked, her possessions in every quarter of the globe are attacked. So it is that we will be bound, if we ratify this treaty, to send our sons once more to the assistance of the British empire if any of the oppressed peoples who are today crushed under the heel of her government should dare to rise in open rebellion and make war against her."

Round to Aid Japan

"So also will we be bound, if we ratify this treaty, to send our ships and our men to the assistance of Japan when the shackled giant China attempts to rise and throw off the domination which the Washington conference has sealed and delivered to Japan over all of China and Siberia."

"I wish also to direct your attention to the fact that iniquitous as are the open provisions of the four-power pact, it lacks its full meaning unless we can secure knowledge of the secret agreements and understandings which undoubtedly accompany it."

"I say 'undoubtedly' because it was only through the happy accident of a blundering statement by President Harding that the American people were able to discover that a secret agreement had already been arrived at by Secretary Hughes and the delegates of Great Britain, France and Japan, that the four-power treaty served to guarantee the mainland of Japan and not merely her long line of insular possessions."

Freedom and Independence

"The wonderful structure of government which the forefathers of this country shed their blood to build rests upon two great foundation stones—freedom and independence," Senator La Follette said. "Freedom in domestic affairs, independence in foreign relations."

"Freedom meant not only the absence of arbitrary restraints and despotic tyrannies, but also equality of opportunity for every citizen. By independence they understood and intended not only a refusal to be subject to any other nation, but also the refusal to enter into alliance and partnership with other nations, even upon terms of equality, to advance their schemes of imperialism and conquest."

"They knew that all such partnerships and alliances meant the inevitable destruction of independence. They knew, also, that unless substantial equality of opportunity was preserved in the United States freedom

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would be only a mockery and a delusion."

Crisis at Hand
"The nation is now facing a great crisis in its history. It is at the parting of the ways with the issue clear. There is no choice except between Americanism and imperialism. The American people must decide, and I have no doubt what their decision will be when the issue is fairly presented to them. The national conscience spurs imperialism, and the national heart cries out against it."

PERSONAL MENTION OF LA CRESCENT FOLKS

Mr. and Mrs. August Schwartz entertained the young people at a party at their home on North Bridge and Monday evening they entertained the five hundred and K. K. club.

The old time dance given at the Masonic hall Thursday evening was well attended. Another one will be given Thursday evening.

Mrs. Mark Smith will entertain the embroidery club Tuesday at a Valentine dinner.

The Epworth league of the Methodist church gave a surprise party for Mr. Ruben Vieter Saturday evening, the occasion being his birthday.

BADGER BANKER DIES

PASADENA, Calif.—William Larson, 78, retired banker of Green Bay, Wis., died at his winter home here Sunday. He is survived by a widow, three sons and five daughters.

Tailor Without Cloth

The Russian tailor has no cloth and no shoemaker has no leather. To have a pair of shoes re-soled it is necessary to hunt up some one who has some sole leather and then afterwards to find the shoemaker to make the repair. The tailor's time is taken up with remarking second hand clothes. No man hires any one to do anything he can possibly do himself. All the ordinary repair and mending for the

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LIVESTOCK VALUES DECREASED FIFTY MILLIONS IN YEAR

Valuation is 19 Percent Under 1921 Values and 17 Percent Below Pre-War Prices

MADISON, Wis.—The value of Wisconsin stock decreased over \$50,000,000 during the past year, Joseph A. Hecker, of the state crop reporting service announced after an inventory of farms of the state amounted to \$225,800,000 on January 1 of this year compared to \$276,397,000 on January 1, 1921, and \$370,108,000 on January 1, 1920.

This amounts to a decrease of 19 per cent under 1921 values, and 17 per cent under the values of 1920, while it is 17 per cent below the pre-war figure of 1914, the report shows. Horses decreased \$10,000 in value; milk cows, 27,000,000 and swine \$7,000,000.

Milk cows and dairy heifers numbered 2,195,000 as compared with 2,177,000 in 1921 and 2,180,000 in 1920. Mature cows numbered 1,750,000 as compared with 1,777,000 in 1921 and 1,795,000 in 1920.

The farm value of cows and heifers is estimated at \$11,410,000, compared with \$11,115,000 in 1921 and \$11,460,000 in 1920. Farm price per head is placed at \$52 against \$55 in 1921 and \$57 in 1920. Milk cows declined 20 per cent; other cattle 24 per cent; horses 14 per cent; swine 27 per cent; sheep 28 per cent; poultry 12 per cent, and bees 9 per cent.

Other cattle, which includes all beef cattle and dairy calves and bulls, are estimated to number 885,000, an increase over 882,000 in 1921 and 871,000 in 1920. Average price per head is given at \$10.60, compared to \$10.90 in 1921 and \$10.90 in 1920. The total value is placed at \$9,381,000, as compared with \$9,227,000 last year and \$9,221,000 the previous year. Calves increased 4 per cent in number during the year; beef heifers, 2 per cent; steers decreased 20 per cent, and other cattle showed little change.

Swine numbered 1,050,000 in comparison to 1,070,000 in 1921 and 1,066,000 in 1920. Breed sows increased 6 per cent; fat sows, 15 per cent. Other swine decreased 19 per cent. This indicates a small holding of hogs on farms and a large proportion of spring pig crop in 1922, the report says.

The total farm value is estimated at \$17,420,000, compared to \$17,420,000 in 1921 and \$17,506,000 in 1920. Average price per head is estimated at \$10.50 compared to \$11.50 last year and \$12.50 the previous year.

Sheep lambs on Wisconsin farms on January 1, 1922, numbered 367,000. This is a decline from 422,000 in 1921 and 480,000 in 1920. Breeding ewes decreased 13 per cent; other mature sheep, 11 per cent, and lambs, 20 per cent. Their total value in 1922 was \$1,688,000 as compared with \$2,565,000 in 1921 and \$3,280,000 in 1920.

Horses numbered 658,000, declining from 662,000 in 1921, and 683,000 in 1920. Farm price per head was \$52, as compared with \$108 last year and \$114 in 1920. Total farm value in 1922 was \$61,008,000, in 1921, \$71,604,000, and in 1920, \$77,862,000. Mules in Wisconsin numbered 4,000.

Poultry of all kinds numbered 12,722,000, compared to 12,222,000 a year ago and 11,782,000 in 1920. Of these, on January 1, 1922, there were 11,641,000 hens and pullets; in 1921, there were 10,972,000, and in 1920, there were 10,868,000. The value of all poultry is estimated at \$10,636,000, compared to \$11,584,000 last year and \$11,997,000 in 1920. Average price per head was \$8.36, compared to \$9.97 in 1921, and \$10.20 in 1920.

There were 124,000 colonies of bees on farms and apiaries of the state on January 1, compared to 121,000 last year and 108,000 in 1920. Total value in 1922 was \$1,179,000; in 1921, \$1,355,000 and in 1920, \$18,000.

CURIOUS WARFARE

A curious form of warfare is carried on in the mountains of Northern China, which are inhabited by bands of wild sheep and brigands. Usually the brigands are well-behaved, but occasionally when some prize, word that valuable goods are about to pass they forget their manners and swoop down upon the caravan. Early this morning the Chinese soldiers return the raid. Occasionally there are real fights, and blood may flow on both sides, but sometimes the battle takes a different form. With bugles blowing, the soldiers may march out to the hills. Through "undisputed" both sides have agreed upon the battle ground; from the soldiers a "David" is chosen to meet the "Goliath" of the brigands. But, though David's sling is well stuffed with rifle shells, he is particularly careful to leave his rifle behind. Goliath advances to the combat armed only with a bag of silver dollars. Then an even trade ensues—a dollar for each ear of wheat. The bugles sound, merely as the soldiers return to the city. Then the commander sends a report to Peking of a desperate battle with the brigands. He says that the brigands have been dispersed, and that hundreds of cartridges were expended in the fight; therefore, kindly send more as soon as possible. All that, we are told because the government has an unfortunate way of forgetting to pay its soldiers in the outlying provinces.

HE'S 57, BUT GIRL HAS SECURED HER DAD'S PERMISSION

Reported that John D. Himself Has Also Consented to Peculiar Match

CHICAGO, Ill.—Maudie McCormick, 16 years old, has permission of her father, Harold P. McCormick, to marry Max Oser, a horseman of Zurich, Switzerland. Mr. McCormick announced the engagement Sunday night in a 33 word statement. He said it was "chastened a few weeks by the fact of the recent newspaper publicity."

The romance of the young granddaughter of John D. Rockefeller, Chicago, interior decorator, as a love of spring and winter, "Mr. Oser is not three times Miss McCormick's age, as the newspapers have stated," said Mr. McCormick, who claims he is a first cousin of the Swiss equestrian. "He is older; he is 57 years old, not 47. He is just my age, I am his cousin and should know."

Has John D. Agreed? Friends of the McCormicks said Sunday night Mr. McCormick's announcement must have followed consent of Mr. Rockefeller. None had definite information but all stated that even so determined a girl as Miss Maudie has been said to be would not dare go through with such an engagement unless Mr. Rockefeller sanctioned it.

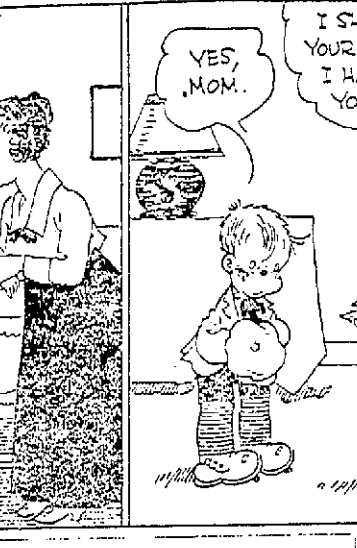
Mr. Oser is possessed of noble blood and also has a reasonably large independent income, also was stated by Mr. Burgoyne.

Mr. Burgoyne believes that the estimate of the riding master's income at \$10,000 a year is erroneous.

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City Society

DINNER AND CARDS ENJOYABLE AFFAIR AT PIONEER HALL

AT PIONEER HALL, on Saturday afternoon a delightful function was given when Mrs. J. E. Wallace and Mrs. Jack Brummer were hostesses at a card-dinner party. Thirty tables were played, ten of bridge and three of five hundred. Mrs. Nels Thompson won the bridge favor and Mrs. J. E. Wallace the five hundred. Dinner was served at five o'clock.

THE YOUNG PEOPLE'S society of the English Lutheran church will give a card party on Wednesday, February 22, instead of Tuesday, February 21, as previously announced.

THE ENTIRE Spanish War Veterans and the Ladies' Auxiliary will meet at the court house Tuesday evening at eight o'clock to celebrate the birthdays of Washington, Lincoln and McKinley. An interesting program will be given and a social invitation is extended to all.

MR. AND MRS. Joseph Arnold of Beach, N. D., formerly of Melrose, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Marshall, 217 North Seventh street, last week.

ON THURSDAY Mrs. Edwards Hillbert, 214 California street, was surprised by a group of friends in honor of her birthday. In the party were Mesdames Charles Thimmesch, Horace Dunsberry, Will Althoff, Edward Lehman, August Weitzel, Gerhard Schaffner, John Newman, Herbert Chittell, John V. Mueller and Miss Mamie McCauley.

MISS TRENE PIERCE, 911 Rose street, and Mrs. T. H. Thompson of Peterson, Minn., entertained in honor of Miss Harriet Whiting and Mrs. E. Allen Friday evening. Covers were laid for six.

THREE TABLES of brides were played Saturday evening when Miss Ethel Brice, 900 Cass street, entertained. The favors went to Miss Ted Nation and Miss Myrtle Shanks.

MRS. K. L. Hanson of Hastings, Minn., was the week-end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Rutlock.

THE MEMBERS of the board of directors of the La Crosse County Community Council were entertained informally on Saturday afternoon by Mrs. E. C. Thompson, president of the council.

MISS BURKHARDT, county nurse, spoke Monday afternoon upon the value of milk products in the home for growing children at the meeting of the Service Star Legion at the Chamber of Commerce. Monday night Miss Burkhardt will talk on milk products at the meeting of the Business Woman's club at the Y. W. C. A.

MRS. THORNE BECKNER of Greer, Iowa, is visiting her niece, Mrs. W. J. Bue, 507 State street.

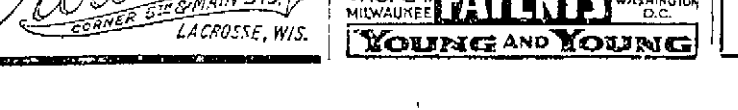
MRS. R. G. MINER, 217 South Sixth street, will entertain the members of the Wednesday Bridge club at luncheon.

MR. AND MRS. P. P. Hixon of La Crosse are among the recent arrivals at the Hotel Huntington, Pasadena.

THE SONS of Veterans' Auxiliary will meet Monday night at the corps rooms in the court house. Every member is urged to be present.

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White House Special

at the office of County Treasurer Lunde on Saturday and will collect taxes again next Saturday at the court house.

Chiropractic adjustments restore health, Dr. Joy McLaughlin, Lady Chiropractor, over Hebbard's Drug store. Mrs. Nell Heisapple, 1629 Prospect street, who underwent an operation at Grandview hospital last week, is improving.

Ladies' Card Party: Eagles hall, Tuesday afternoon, 2:30 sharp. Game 500. Good prizes. All Welcome.

President F. A. Cotton of the La Crosse State Normal school is one of the delegates appointed by Governor J. J. Blaine to the Hileray conference of the National Educational Association to be held in Chicago next month.

Ladies' Card Party: Eagles hall, Tuesday afternoon, 2:30 sharp. Game 500. Good prizes. All Welcome.

Miss Grace Ellen Rodemeyer and James Sheridan, both of La Crosse, were married on Thursday morning at St. Thomas cathedral by the Rev. Fr. J. P. Sherman. They were attended by Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Schludinski. Mrs. Sheridan formerly resided in Winona. Proceeding her marriage she was the guest for several days at the Schludinski home, 508 Main street, Winona.

ALL CLOUDS ARE DUST CLOUDS

What do you think is the predominant element of the great clouds which float high above our heads in the sky? Water? No, dust, the little specks that we may see dancing in any sunbeam. Without dust there can be no clouds, and without clouds rain cannot fall.

Most of England's rain comes from the hot seas on the coast of America. Here water rises into the air in the form of steam, whose tiny particles adhere to the little dust-specks, or motes of which the atmosphere is full. If it was not for the motes the steam would simply fall back again as evening time when the temperature dropped. But as it is each mote attracts a certain number of vapor particles, and retains them. In this way great clouds are formed which are carried eastwards over the seas by the wind.

So long as there is no great fall in the temperature they will continue to be clouds; for water-vapor is lighter than air and will not sink in it, but should the temperature be reduced so much that the particles of vapor begin to condense into drops of water, no longer sustain their burden, and rain begins to fall.

Health hint: Get your own overcoat when leaving a restaurant.

TURN HAIR DARK WITH SAGE TEA

If Mixed with Sulphur It Darkens So Naturally Nobody Can Tell

The old-time mixture of Sage Tea and Sulphur for darkening gray, streaked and faded hair is grandmother's recipe, and folks are again using it to keep their hair a good, even color, which is quite sensible, as we are living in an age when a youthful appearance is of the greatest advantage.

Nowadays, though, we don't have the troublesome task of gathering the sage and the mussy mixing at home. All drug stores sell the ready-to-use product, improved by the addition of other ingredients, called "Wyer's Sage and Sulphur Compound." It is very popular, because nobody can discover it has been applied. Simply moisten your comb or a soft brush with it, and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time; by morning the gray hair disappears, but what delights the ladies with Wyer's Sage and Sulphur Compound is that, besides beautifully darkening the hair after a few applications, it also produces that soft lustre and appearance of abundance which is so attractive.

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Superintendent Unable to Account for Cause; Academic Building Destroyed

TOMAH, Wis.—The origin of the fire that on Saturday night destroyed the academic building of the Tomah Indian school was as much of a mystery on Monday morning as when it broke out shortly after 9 p. m. Saturday, according to Superintendent Thompson of the school. The flames are believed to have originated near a ventilator in the building. The flames spread quickly and by the time the alarm was turned in and the firemen arrived, the only hope lay in containing the fire to the building in which it started.

"I want you to say a word of praise for the efficient manner in which the Tomah fire department tackled the job," said Superintendent Thompson. "The department didn't lose a second in getting to the fire and through their fast and efficient work, the flames were kept from spreading."

The loss will be at least \$30,000. Mr. Thompson said. The entire equipment of the academic building was destroyed. The students will not lose any time in their studies, as academic classes will be accommodated in other buildings of the school.

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AN OPEN LETTER TO OUR PEOPLE

Regarding a New Health Discovery Made at One of Our Leading Medical Colleges

It will interest the people to know that leading medical men of the country have for some time been advocating dietetic treatment—for weak, nervous, run-down, anemic conditions, for feeble old people, convalescents and delicate, ailing children rather than medicine.

Nutritional Science has now discovered an easy way of supplying the strength-creating, life-giving elements lacking in our daily food—for there has been tested and approved at one of America's greatest Medical Colleges a Nutritive Tonic Tablet called SUSTO which contains, in concentrated form, all the vitamins of yeast, rice, eggs, milk, together with beef protein, mulein and iron.

Therefore, if you need strength, lack energy, are nervous, anemic, run down, thin and ailing, SUSTO will nourish the shrunken tissues, create strength, build up shattered nerves and energy.

If you try it for one month, at a cost of 30 cents a day, and you are not in better health every way, weigh more, and feel stronger, your money will be returned. For sale by Hoeschler Bros.—Advertisement.

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Every "Diamond Dyes" package tells how to dye or tint any worn, faded garment or drapery a new rich color that will not streak, spot, fade or run. Perfect home dyeing is guaranteed with Diamond Dyes even if you have never dyed before. Just tell your druggist whether the material you wish to dye is wool or silk, or whether it is linen, cotton, or mixed goods. For fifty-one years millions of women have been using "Diamond Dyes" to add years of wear to their old, shabby waists, skirts, dresses, coats, sweaters, stockings, draperies, hangings, everything!

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Makes a rich, cleansing suds for cleaning delicate fabrics.

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Swastika Brand

This is the finest fruit shipped out of Florida. Try them, ask your grocer or

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EPISCOPAL BISHOP HITS PROHIBITION AND VOLSTEAD ACT

Eighteenth Amendment "Mistake" Says President of Church Council

CHICAGO, Ill.—Bishop Thomas L. Carter, president of the National Council of the Episcopal church, said last night in an address that he believed "the eighteenth amendment was a mistake." He also said that he believed in the modification of the Volstead law.

"I am in favor of morality," he said, "and I personally observe the Volstead law, but I am opposed to putting summary laws of so drastic a character in the constitution. It betrays the old philosophy that matter is inherently evil. I am not speaking in the interests of the under world, but in the interests of intelligent, upstanding men."

HUTTON DECLARES WETS CONCENTRATE ON BADGER STATE

Says Fight for Beer and Wine Focuses in "Wettest State"

MADISON, Wis.—There is a conspiracy of the liquor interests of the country to nullify the eighteenth amendment to the federal constitution by having wine and beer declared non-intoxicating, R. L. Hutton, superintendent of the Wisconsin Anti-Saloon league, declared Sunday night in a speech here.

Wisconsin is the key to the "wet" attack, Mr. Hutton said, and will be the center of the fight. "If the constitution here state opposes laws and 'right wines,'" he declared, "congress will not nullify the legislation by declaring these drinks non-intoxicating."

"This is the wettest state, but the dry organization of Wisconsin admittedly is the best in America," he declared.

LENROOT SUGGESTS SHORT TERM BONDS TO FINANCE BONUS

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made plain he was "not satisfied" with the motives of the organization and that it was not interfering with the work of the American Relief Administration.

Senator La Follette is also a member of the Advisory council of the organization while Governor John J. Blaine is named as on the Executive council. Both bodies include members of prominent people.

It was on this account that the organization was investigated by the department of justice resulting in the statement of the secretary of commerce.

Governor Blaine was one of the state executives who declined to commit himself on the McFadden resolution providing a constitutional amendment prohibiting issuance of tax exempt securities. The proposal has been endorsed by President Harding.

On Monday night, Mrs. Irvine I. Lenroot, was hostess at the Congressional club to a brilliant reception given to Speaker and Mrs. Frederick Gillette of Massachusetts. Mrs. Lenroot is president of the Congressional club.

E. P. Gorman has been nominated as recorder of the land office at Washington following the consolidation of that office and the office of receiver. The two offices are consolidated under a law provided such action should be taken when the business handled falls below a certain point.

The House committee on Public Buildings and Grounds reported unanimously on Friday the Nelson bill authorizing the purchase of a site for a new federal building in Madison. Under the provisions of the measure, the treasury department is authorized to pay out not exceeding \$350,000 of the \$450,000 previously appropriated, to obtain the site for the proposed building.

Assurances that the appropriation for the Forest Products Laboratory in Madison for the coming fiscal year will not be reduced despite the rearmament in virtually all fields of government activity was given Carlisle Winslow, president of the labor union, according to Senator Lenroot. Mr. Winslow was down here this week and among those upon whom he called was the junior senator.

Dr. W. F. Lorenz, of the Mendota asylum, was among the specialists who gathered here over the week end at the Veterans' Bureau to make a study of the treatment of peyoptychic cases, about 9,000 of which are now being cared for by the government. The conference developed a general program for the handling of these cases in the future. In the specialists' report, transmitted to President Harding, the erection of a hospital in each of the fourteen districts of the Veterans' Bureau organization at a cost of \$10,000,000 was recommended. There was general agreement that the ex-service men suffering from nervous diseases, ranging from shell shock to insanity, should be removed from so-called contract hospitals, such as the Mendota hospital, as soon as special beds could be found for them in regular government hospitals.

Senator Robert M. La Follette, who left here for Madison to attend the funeral of his brother-in-law, the late Chief Justice Sutherland, is expected to return to Washington next Wednesday or Thursday following a speech in Milwaukee Sunday. His son, Robert, Jr., is expected to join him on the week end.



Scene From "Serenade" R.A. Walsh Production

At the Majestic Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday.

Obituary

DR. JOHN A. BALLARD

The funeral of Dr. John A. Ballard, former resident of La Crosse, who died at Galesburg, Ill., will be held from the First Congregational church here Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Dr. Ballard was born February 11, 1872, in Freyburg, Mo., and so his death came shortly after the eightieth anniversary of his birth.

He was the son of George and Susanna Frey Ballard, and grew to manhood in his native town. In the civil war he enlisted early and saw service all through that struggle and had part in a number of the great engagements, among which was the celebrated Richmond campaign. He sustained a wound that some of his friends feel may have been the cause of his illness in his later years.

After the civil war he came to Chicago. He graduated from the Northwestern Medical school in 1898, and later took post graduate work in Rush Medical college and Bellevue hospital, New York city. He practiced medicine in Chicago and for thirty years subsequently in La Crosse, Wis., where he was physician for the Burlington and the Milwaukee railways. Here he gained a wide reputation for his skill as a surgeon and physician, and his ability and conscientiousness. In his profession gave him high standing. Fifteen years ago he retired from active practice and went to Galesburg where he and Mrs. Ballard have since made their home with their daughter, Mrs. D. J. Griswold.

A. E. HAVEN

Word has been received by friends here of the death at Fairbault of A. E. Haven, former publisher of the Fairbault Democrat and early resident of La Crosse.

Alfred Emmett Haven was born at Guilford, New York, February 4, 1870, and in 1874 moved with his family to La Crosse, Wis., where he completed his education, learned the printer's trade, and studied law under Judge Hugh Cameron. At the breaking out of the civil war Mr. Haven was among the first to respond to the call for volunteers, and enlisted in the Second Wisconsin Infantry in April, 1861, and followed the fortunes of his regiment through a hard campaign in the Union cause and was honorably mustered out August 1st, 1864. He then returned to La Crosse and entered the employ of the La Crosse Democrat, later becoming an associate editor.

On November 12, 1867, Mr. Haven was married to Mary A. Mesker, and in 1871 moved to Fairbault and purchased the Fairbault Leader, which he changed to the name of the Fairbault Democrat, and which he actively published until ill health compelled him to retire from active business life on December 31, 1920, at the ripe age of almost 52 years.

During the years of activity, Mr. Haven took a prominent part in most of the civic duties, filling many important positions, such as county superintendent of schools from 1876 to 1880, member of the school board, serving as clerk and as treasurer, and as postmaster from 1894 to 1899. For many years he served on the board of trustees for St. Mary's school of this city, and also as a member of the board of directors of the Minnesota Sash & Box Co., and as a member of the Fairbault library.

He was a member of the Methodist church at La Crosse, and was also a member of the Episcopal church at Fairbault, and a daughter, Mrs. A. E. Haven, of Providence, R. I.

ISAAC QUACKENBUSH

Isaac Quackenbush, aged 85, passed away at his home in St. Cloud, Wis., Saturday night. Funeral services will be held at the home at 11:30 a. m. and from the St. Cloud Methodist church at 4 p. m. Tuesday. Interment will be made in St. Cloud.

AUGUST A. ANDERSON

August A. Anderson, an old resident of La Crosse, passed away early Sunday morning at a local hospital after a brief illness. The first attacks of which started last Friday.

are his widow, Mrs. Bertha Anderson, and three children, Arthur F. Anderson, Margaret L. Anderson and Anna S. Anderson, all at home, and one half brother, Henry A. Lee of La Crosse.

Funeral services will be held from the home, 411 West avenue north, Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Interment will be in the Catholic cemetery.

WILLIAM F. JUSTIN

William F. Justin, aged 51 years, residing at 715 South Sixteenth street, died Sunday morning at 3 o'clock at a local hospital after an illness of several months. The cause of death was Bright's disease. Mr. Justin was born May 14, 1870, at St. Joseph's Ridge, La Crosse county. He was united in marriage to Miss Minnie Weber, also of St. Joseph's Ridge, 29 years ago, and has made his home in La Crosse ever since.

He was employed for 12 years as an agent of the Metropolitan Life Insurance company and for the last 14 years as manager of the Prudential Life Insurance company. Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Minnie Justin; one son, Mr. Emil W. Justin of Mitchell, S. D.; one daughter, Miss Margaret Justin at home; one grandchild, Elizabeth Justin; four brothers, Fred L. of La Crosse, Gustave of Sparta, Frank of Colorado, and Julius of Fountain City; three sisters, Mrs. Charles Deutscher, Mrs. Mary Hunt and Mrs. Sabina Perrier of La Crosse.

He was a member of the St. Joseph's Lodge and for 33 years and of the Holy Trinity society for 12 years. The funeral services will be held Wednesday at 8:30 from the home, and at 10 o'clock from the St. Joseph's cathedral. Rev. Father Pappe will officiate. Interment will be made in the Catholic cemetery.

JAPAN WON'T PASS BIRTH CONTROLLER

Mrs. Margaret Sanger Refused Admittance Unless She Drops Propaganda

TOKIO.—Instructions of the Japanese foreign office to the Japanese consulate in San Francisco that it refuse to issue the passport of Mrs. Margaret Sanger, head of the Birth Control League, were on the ground that propaganda along the lines, it was understood she proposed, was illegal in Japan and an improper subject for public discussion. The foreign office's action, however, an official said today, did not mean that Mrs. Sanger would be denied admission to Japan. On the contrary, he said she would undoubtedly receive permission to enter the country upon the condition that she would not attempt propaganda.

VICEROY RELEASES SINN FEIN FOOTBALL MEN FROM PRISON

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to see the republic was not dead in Tipperary and that the people did not want the British monarch as king of Ireland.

In Cork, Mr. De Valera challenged the leaders of the Free State to frame a constitution proving their contention that they could give to Ireland perfect freedom and thereby let Ireland know what it is voting for.

"If they can make a constitution which the English king will not be in," said Mr. De Valera. "It may not be very difficult for us to agree with them."

SALES TAX IS ONE OF MEANS TO BE DEBATED

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never fulfilled requiring some three billion dollars, no such law and cry was raised. It was an obligation and it was paid. Certainly the services of the manufacturers, railroad and shipping interests were not so much more profitable than that of the men who offered their lives.

The legion feels that the nation wants "this debt recognized and not confused or endangered by opposition to revenue raising riders and asks that the five-fold adjusted compensation bill be passed." Mr. MacNider said, adding that "there is a cash feature but with hundreds of thousands of ex-service men waiting the streets of our cities looking for work we do not feel competent to dictate to these men their choice."

Mrs. A. "My husband's life is an open book."

Mrs. B. "Thank God for check books?"—London Answers.

CHARLES W. MAXWELL PLACED ON TRIAL ON BIKE THEFT CHARGE

Five Women on Mixed Jury Hearing Criminal Case; Judge Fowler on Bench

Maxwell was found guilty in five minutes when the case went to the jury shortly after noon. The verdict was reached in five minutes. The jurors fixed the value of the bicycle at \$25, bringing the penalty attaching to conviction beyond the petty larceny limit and within the penitentiary class.

Charles W. Maxwell was tried on Monday morning in circuit court on charges of stealing a bicycle, the property of Raymond Guenther. The case was heard before Judge Chester A. Fowler of Fond du Lac, who is sitting in place of Judge Higbee. Testimony was closed at noon. The case will be argued in the afternoon.

Guenther's bike was stolen from in front of the Y. M. C. A. In company with another boy, Guenther attended a ball game last August at Copeland park. He claims he saw his wheel in the possession of Maxwell who was also at the game. The Guenther boy and his father went to the rubber mills, where Maxwell was working and the boy says he again saw his bicycle there. Maxwell asserts that he bought the wheels from one bicycle dealer, the frame from a second-hand dealer, while the saddle, pedals and handle bars were previously in his possession. Maxwell denies stealing the bicycle.

The mixed jury in the case is composed of Mattie Manes, William Reiz, Opelia Higbee, Susan Swarthout, Oscar Hussa, Albert Moyses, Cora M. Bangsberg, Irving Comeau, Eugene Merlo, Bertha Hickisch, Oscar Schumacher and E. S. Case.

\$75,000 AVAILABLE FOR FARM CREDIT USE IN WISCONSIN

WASHINGTON.—Approval of 170 advances for agricultural and livestock purposes aggregating \$4,570,000 distributed among 25 states was announced Monday by the war finance corporation. They included Wisconsin \$75,000.

CHURCH AT SANITY TEST ON STRETCHER

CHICAGO.—Lying on a stretcher, Harvey Church was carried into Judge Sealton's court Monday for the hearing as to whether he has become insane since his conviction for the murder of Bernard Dougherty. Church, scheduled to hang last Friday, was granted a two weeks stay for the hearing. He has become so weak from his hunger strike that it is doubtful if even the forcible feeding he now undergoes will keep him alive for two weeks more.

VICTOR LODGE TO MEET ON TUESDAY

Victor lodge No. 71 requests that all members of the B. P. O. E. of A. and Royal Star meet at the Woodmen hall on the north side Tuesday evening, February 21. First vice president, Catherine Donovan, of Aberdeen, South Dakota, will be present at the meeting. It was announced. Visitors were invited.

COMMITTEE MEETING CALLED ON TUESDAY

A meeting of the council committee on public utilities and highways has been called for Tuesday evening, February 21, for the purpose of considering a resolution regarding the Milwaukee crossing tender at Avon street.

KING GIVES PRINCESS JEWEL

LONDON.—King George's princely wedding gift to Princess Mary is a handsome piece of jewelry which has already been given to her, says the Daily Mail. She will receive another present from her father before her marriage to Viscount Lascelles.

IRVIN COBB BETTER

BASTON, Mass.—The condition of Irvin S. Cobb, humorist and author whose lecture tour was interrupted here by an attack of influenza was reported Monday as considerably improved.

BANK EMBEZZLER CONFESSES

OMAHA, Neb.—Willard V. Matthews president of the defunct Pioneer State bank of Omaha, indicted for embezzling \$200,000, pleaded guilty Monday.

Wood For Paper Imported

Two thirds of the newsprint paper used in the United States in 1920 was made from wood grown on foreign soil.

A Good Word For Him

Hans Schmidt was reported to be the meanest man in the neighborhood. He died. His body was placed in the grave, and according to an old Pennsylvania German custom the people stood around the open grave, waiting for some one to say some good thing about the deceased before filling the grave. After a long wait Gustave Schultz said: "Well, I can say just one good thing about Hans. He wasn't always as mean as he was sometimes."—The Universalist Leader.

A Purist

"So you are from Plunkville?" "Yes." "What population did your census give you?" "Didn't give us any population." "Why?" "The function of the census is to count the population we already had."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

4,000 Guests At Wedding That Costs \$100,000



SLIDELL, La.—\$100,000 for a wedding!

That's what it cost Henry Sullivan, mayor of Bogalusa, and Miss Ella-Rose Kamen of Slidell to get married. Sullivan is vice president of the Southern Lumber company. Both his and his wife's parents are among the wealthiest residents in Louisiana.

The event, which took place on the grounds of the Salmen home, under a huge circus tent, smashed all records for extravagance.

Special trains brought guests from all nearby towns and close to 4,000 people attended. Sullivan arranged for free transportation of all those who were bound for the wedding. Special Pullmans also brought friends and business associates from Buffalo, Chicago, Baltimore and New York.

After the ceremony a wedding supper was served to all. Music was furnished by massed bands from Bogalusa and Slidell—160 pieces.

Wedding gifts poured in days ahead of the affair and practically every safety deposit in Slidell was put to use. Secret service men guarded the gift overflow at the Salmen home. The presents were insured for \$50,000.

MR. AND MRS. HENRY SULLIVAN

SENATE INVITES HOUSE TO CONFER ON VALUE PLANS

Hope to Iron Out American Valuation Clash Before Tariff is Passed

WASHINGTON.—Ranking republicans of the house ways and means committee were invited today by the majority of the senate finance committee to a conference to discuss the valuation plan to be written into the pending tariff bill. The conference will be held late Monday.

The invitation from the finance committee majority followed the statement of Chairman Knutson of the house committee on Saturday that if the senate adopted a bill with a foreign valuation clause the house would rewrite it with an American valuation provision and "let the senate try again." The foreign plan already has been agreed on tentatively by the senate committee majority, which has begun re-writing all valuation rates in the house bill on that basis.

ICE IN FAIR SHAPE AT PETTIBONE PARK

With little or no thawing on Monday the ice at Pettibone lagoon was reported to be in fair condition. With the return of warmer weather it was thought that the warming had inconveniences at the lagoon would be closed for the season. Tonight may be the last chance to skate at the lagoon.

POLICE CLUB STRIKE CROWD

PAWTUCKET, R. I.—The first disturbance in connection with the textile strike occurred Monday when after four young women operatives had been intercepted by strike sympathizers, police drew clubs and drove back a crowd. Two men were arrested. Several sustained bruised heads.

EGERTON CHILD SHOTS SELF

JANESVILLE, Wis.—Philip, 4-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Nell Johnson living on a farm near Egerton, found a loaded revolver and accidentally shot himself through the temple. He died in an Egerton hospital.

POLICE HAVE NEW LINE ON MURDER MYSTERY OF FILMS

New Angle of Probe in Taylor Case Reported; Police Secretive

LOS ANGELES, Calif.—A new angle of investigation into the murder of William Desmond Taylor, film director, was promised Monday by the police.

They did not make public the nature of the new turn the inquiry might take but reiterated their determination to continue their search for the murderer as long as there is a remote clue upon which to work.

"I imagine the case will quiet down as soon as far as the public is concerned," said D. L. Adams, captain of detectives, "but the police department will never rest. The Taylor murderer must be found."

LANDIS RESIGNATION REACHES PRESIDENT

WASHINGTON.—The resignation of Federal Judge Landis, announced Saturday in Chicago, was received Monday at the white house. It was written in Judge Landis' own handwriting, dated Chicago, Feb. 18, and read as follows:

"Dear Mr. President: "I resign as district judge for the northern district of Illinois, effective March 1, 1922."

"Very respectfully,"

"KENESAW MOUNTAIN LANDIS."

HUGE WARSHIP "SOLD"

SAN PEDRO, Calif.—The United States super-dreadnaught New Mexico has been sold to a retired farmer of Long Beach, Calif., at the remarkably low price of \$800,000. It became known here on Sunday. The purchaser came to San Pedro late on Sunday to take possession and produced a bill of sale for the ship.

He purchased the vessel the day before from a United States marine, he said. He understood that all of the ships were for sale under the terms of the disarmament conference.

Navy officials, however, refused to deliver the dreadnaught.

COLLEGES AGREE TO PERMIT SUMMER BALL FOR ATHLETES

Marquette and Others at Conference Likely to Adopt New Amateur Status

ST. PAUL, Minn.—Representatives of mid-western universities and colleges, meeting here Monday to formulate plans for a new athletic conference, tentatively decided to go on record as in favor of a rule permitting college athletes to play summer baseball for money.

Indications were that the organization of the proposed conference would be perfected with seven institutions definitely allied and with the possibility that two or three would join later. The summer baseball rule would be qualified however, to bar students from participating in organized league games.

Colleges represented at the conference are:

Marquette of Milwaukee; North Dakota State college of Fargo; North Dakota university of Grand Forks; Morningside college, Sioux City, Ia.; Creighton university, Omaha; St. Thomas college of St. Paul; Michigan Agricultural college; East Lansing, Mich.; South Dakota University of Vermillion, and South Dakota State.

SWEET CANDIDATE FOR KENYON'S SEAT AS IOWA SENATOR

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Burton E. Sweet, republican member of the house from the third Iowa district, announced Monday he would enter the republican primaries in June as candidate for the senate. He will seek the nomination for the unexpired term of Senator Kenyon who will leave the senate this week to become a federal circuit judge.

RAIL LABOR BOARD GIVES OVERTIME TO TRAIN DISPATCHERS

CHICAGO, Ill.—The United States labor board, in a decision Monday authorized time and a half for overtime work by train dispatchers after the ninth hour. Eight hours remains the standard for a day, the decision said, adding that heretofore the train dispatchers had not received overtime. The decision affects about 3,000 men.

RAILWAY UNIONS GET TOGETHER TO PLAN FALL FIGHT AT POLLS

CHICAGO, Ill.—A national political conference called by a committee of railroad union men began Monday for the announced purpose of formulating plans for participation in primaries and elections next fall. More than one hundred labor leaders and representatives of various minor political factions were expected to attend.

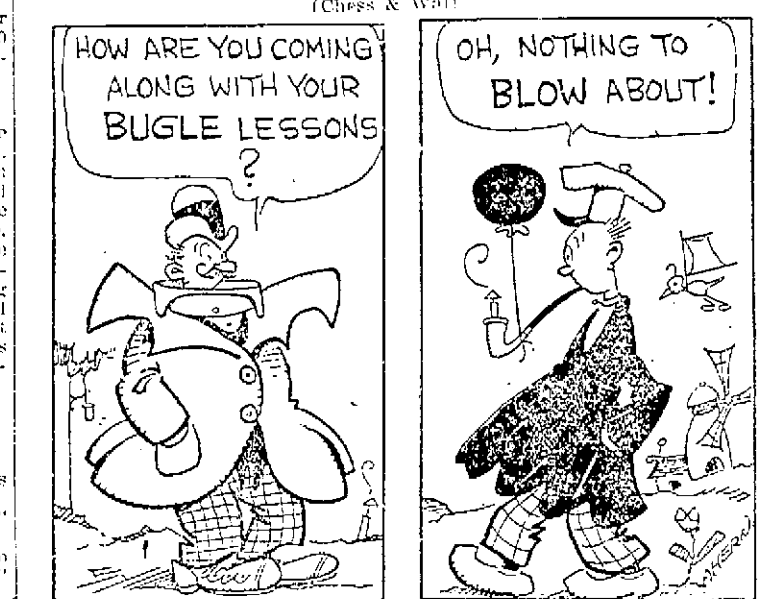
EXTEND IMMIGRATION BAR

WASHINGTON.—The house Monday passed and sent to the senate a resolution extending until June 30, 1923, the three percent restrictive immigration law. The rules were suspended to permit action at this time.

STOCK MARKET CLOSE

Ignoring the six per cent money rate in the final half hour investment falls and high-class industrials made for profits was indicated. The close was heavy.

Closing prices:	
Allied Chemical and Dye	58 1/2
Armstrong	44 1/2
American Beet Sugar	36
American Can	32 1/2
American Car and Foundry	43 1/2
American Leather	87
American International Corp.	41 1/2
American Locomotive	109 1/2
American Smelting and Refining	87 1/2
American Sugar	87 1/2
American Sumatra Tobacco	25 1/2
American T. & T.	112 1/2
American Tobacco	82 1/2
American United Fruit	82 1/2
Anaconda Copper	47 1/2
Atchafalca	87
Atlantic Gulf and W. Indies	102 1/2
Baltimore and Ohio	36 1/2
Bethlehem Steel	83 1/2
Canadian Pacific	43 1/2
Chandler	61
Chandler Motors	58 1/2
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul	52 1/2
Chicago and North Western	52 1/2
Copper	52 1/2
Colorado Fuel and Iron	27 1/2
Cora Products	60 1/2
Crescent Steel	102 1/2
Eric	102 1/2
Famous Players-Lasky	81 1/2
General Electric	152 1/2
General Motors	85
Goodrich Co.	33 1/2
Great Northern Pfd	98 1/2
International Harvester	87 1/2
Int. Mer. Marine Pfd	154 1/2
International Paper	14 1/2
Invincible Oil	14 1/2
Kelly-Springfield Tire	31 1/2
Kennecott Copper	112 1/2
Louisville and Nashville	122 1/2
Mexican Petroleum	25 1/2
Miami Copper	25 1/2
Middle States Oil	25 1/2
Missouri Pacific	19 1/2
New York Central	12 1/2
N. Y. N. H. and Hartford	100 1/2
North Carolina	100 1/2
Northern Pacific	122 1/2
Oklahoma Prod. and Ref.	12 1/2
Pacific Oil	154 1/2
Pan American Petroleum	154 1/2
Pennsylvania	154 1/2
People's Gas	32 1/2
Pure Oil	32 1/2
Rac Consolidated Copper	21 1/2
Reading	74 1/2
Reg. Iron and Steel	51 1/2
Rockwell	51 1/2
Sears Roebuck	61 1/2
Shelby Oil	51 1/2
Southern	194 1/2
Standard Oil of N. J.	12 1/2
Standard Oil Corporation	102 1/2
Tennessee Copper	45 1/2
Texaco	45 1/2
Texas and Pacific	45 1/2
Tobacco Products	21 1/2
Transcontinental Oil	102 1/2
Union Pacific	102 1/2
United States Retail Stores	154 1/2
U. S. and Alaska	51 1/2
United States Rubber	51 1/2
United States Steel	61 1/2
Utah Copper	61 1/2
Western Union	154 1/2
Wells Overland	154 1/2
Chicago and Northern	61 1/2



BASEBALL MEN GLAD TO GET FULL-TIME ATTENTION OF K. M. L.

Sport to be Benefitted Under Personal Supervision of Judge Landis

SALARY IS AUTOMATICALLY RAISED TO \$50,000 YEARLY

Baseball to Get Most of Landis' Time

NEW YORK. After a day of reflection, baseball men about town were pleased to see the news from Chicago that Judge Landis had resigned his federal judgeship to devote all of his time to baseball. The general opinion was that Landis' health could not have stood the strain he had put on it as a result of his many activities.

Benefit to Baseball

"Landis told me just before the world's series that he soon would resign, and his action is not unexpected," said Ruppert. "Baseball has taken up much of his time, and he has been working day and night. It will benefit baseball to have Landis' time on the road and back over the baseball situation personally."

Ruppert said that Landis' resignation automatically would raise his salary to \$50,000, the sum baseball men offered him.

John Farrell, secretary of the National Association of Minor League Clubs, who was in town attending the national board of arbitration, said: "What is the country's loss is baseball's gain. Baseball now will get all of Landis' time, and in the future he will be even a more competent executive than in the past."

Editorial Comment on Landis

The Evening Telegram editorially comments on Landis' resignation as follows:

"Whatever satisfaction the public may experience because of the fact that Federal Judge Kenneth Landis has resigned his place on the bench will be lessened by the reasons he gives for taking the belated step, as follows:

"There are not enough hours in the day for all of my activities, therefore I have forwarded my resignation of federal judgeship to Washington, effective March 1."

"In other words, if being a judge had not interfered with being a baseball manager, or vice versa, his honor would have continued to hold the two offices."

Bar Association's Resolution

"Judge Landis' resignation was not affected by the pending resolution adopted by the American Bar association, in session at Cincinnati last September, in which his action in resigning to his judgeship was described as unworthy of the office of judge, derogatory to the dignity of the bench, and undermining public confidence in the administration of the judiciary."

MABEL, MINN., HIGH SCHOOL WINS FROM SPRING GROVE, 54-17

BYZSKO TO QUIT AND GIVE TITLE TO YOUNGER BROTHER

NEW YORK.—Stanislaus Byzsko, world's heavyweight wrestling champion, plans to retire and devote his time to his younger brother, Whiskey. The younger brother is to engage Joe Stecher, former champion, in a bout in Madison Square Garden Tuesday night. If Whiskey wins, his brother will make immediate plans for retirement.

THE ELEPHANT'S FOOT

The elephant is a good traveler. On the ground, says Mr. Carl Moley, a fast horse can outrun him, but on the water he would beat the horse. Moley says there are few animals that can move more quickly than an elephant, and in spite of its size he can turn with astonishing agility as quickly as a rabbit. The elephant's foot is very soft, and it is very sensitive. It is covered with a fine skin, with a heavy padded bottom that has some of the characteristics of the anti-skid. An elephant walks on his toes, which form the front part of his foot. The bones of his foot run not only back but up, and end in a large bone that is a continuation of the bone of the foot. It is a very effective shock absorber, than rubber heels. One of the curious things about the foot is that it swells when the weight is on it and contracts when the weight is off. An elephant may sink four feet into a swamp, but the sinking he is able to lift his feet. His foot will contract and come out of the hole without suction.

COACH SERVES EIGHT YEARS WITHOUT PAY

George Sanford of Rutgers is Opposed to Professionalism in Football and Lives Up to the Theories He Preaches

BY BILLY EVANS

University of Minnesota wanted Hugo Bezdek to coach its football team.

Bezdek was willing, but he insisted on a five-year contract, calling for \$10,000 a year.

That was considerably more than Minnesota wanted to pay. Bezdek said he was getting almost that much at Penn State.

Landis Stanton, in order to be able to offer real competition for University of California, sought Glenn Warner as coach.

Warner was willing to give his efforts to place Stanford on the football map, but his salary demands couldn't be met.

In these days of frenzied finance in the sport world, the case of Coach George Sanford of Rutgers is most interesting as well as unusual. For the last eight years Sanford

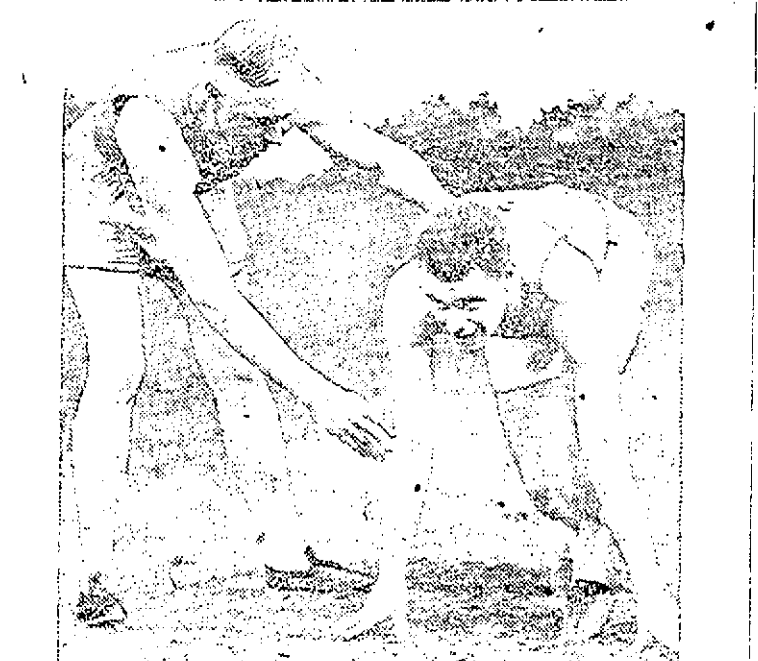
has been head coach at Rutgers and has turned out a number of great teams. During that time he has never received a cent for compensation.

Sanford is in the top-range business in New York. Rutgers is located at New Brunswick, N. J., about a 20-mile ride from the city.

Every afternoon during the season he leaves his office and journeys to New Brunswick. He is assisted from time to time by former Rutgers players who return to aid in the work.

Sanford is unalterably opposed to professionalism in football, even to coaching as a profession after graduation.

Sanford, like a number of others high up in football, believes the game is getting away from the college, and becoming merely a commercialized amusement.



BERNIE WELTERS TRAINS BERNIE, JR.—Bernie Welters, Sr., who formerly held many sprint records, is training Bernie, Jr., with hope of a meet with Charlie Had dock, international track star. The younger Welters at present holds the New York championships at 60, 70, 100, 220 and 300 yards.

PROPOSE FORMATION OF NEW CONFERENCE AMONG NINE SCHOOLS

Meeting Called for Organization on Monday; to be Called the "Big Nine"

ST. PAUL, Minn. Plans for the formation of a new athletic inter-collegiate conference were to be discussed by representatives of nine colleges of the middle west and northwest at a meeting here Monday. It is proposed to call the new organization the "Big Nine" conference.

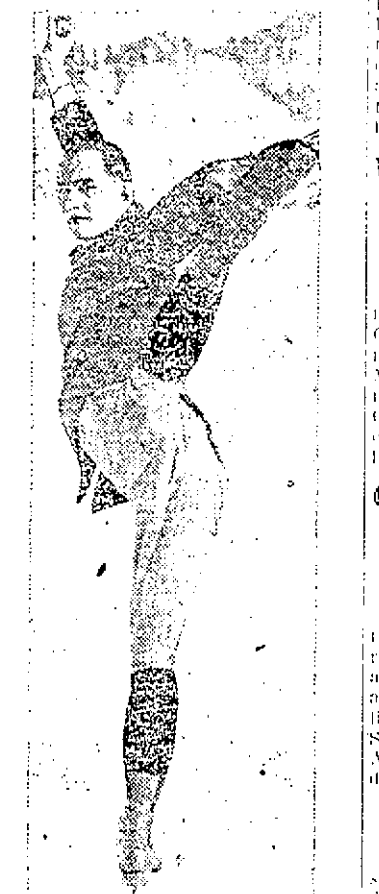
Invitations to attend the meeting, which was called by C. A. West, director of athletics at South Dakota State college, Brookings, S. D., were sent to Marquette university, Milwaukee; North Dakota state college, Fargo; North Dakota university, Grand Forks; Minnesota college, St. Paul; Michigan Agricultural college, East Lansing; Michigan State college, East Lansing; Michigan State college, East Lansing; and South Dakota state university, Vermillion. A representative from Des Moines university of Des Moines, Iowa, will also attend.

DANGERS OF OIL-BORING

Fuel oil, as a means of propulsion, has been gradually coming into favor for a number of years. The war increased its use in many ways, and the recent coal strike gave a fillip that only could be overcome when the comparative cost between coal and fuel oil gives the former the advantage. Boring for oil is often accompanied with danger to the men from the pent-up force which is released. The first indication that oil has been reached is a rush of gas and then comes oil, sometimes with such terrific force that it has been known to carry tools, gear and loose stones and earth to a great height. Large quantities of oil are often lost before a valve can be placed over the hole, and a check put upon the gusher. So great is the pressure, it varies from 200 pounds to 1000 pounds, that oil may spout hundreds of feet into the air. In Mexico, a few years ago, the column of oil reached 600 measured feet. It is unsuitable for use when first got out of the ground, owing to the mud it contains, but when this has settled to the bottom of the storage tank it is refined. First petrol and benzene are extracted by distillation before it is sent to the storage tanks to be used as crude oil. So far the method which finds most favor for burning oil in furnaces is known as low pressure system and is favored through pipes to the burner under the boiler in the form of a fine spray.

Dope on a Rope

The statement is made that Fort Worth Texas is the centre of a great liquor and drug traffic. The material in question coming over the border from Mexico. At one point, dope and drink has been passed over the line by means of a rope stretched across the river and the material passed along at each time as we deemed expedient.



TRY THIS ONE—H. Pedersen is the champion fancy skater of St. Moritz in the Alps. Anyone who can do the above stunt and keep going deserves the championship.

COMMERCIAL BOWLING LEAGUE

The Montagues won three straight from the Auto Supply in the Commercial Bowling League. The scores:

Montagues	Auto Supply
Shinda	143
Stadler	171
A. Klawitter	158
Portant	141
Handicap	40
Totals	653

Auto Supply	Montagues
Path	138
Weisse	147
Salle	143
Black	167
Handicap	43
Totals	637

We Need More of Them

The yielding barrier installed at both ends of the Lincoln Highway, over the Buckeye and Passaic rivers in Jersey City, will stop any speeding auto without injury to either auto or barrier.

A Surprise

"What do they mean by poor fish? What sort of fish?" "I suppose it alludes to the well-known 'cheap skate'."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

INTERNATIONAL PIN MEET AT ST. PAUL ENDS LATE MONDAY

Singles and Doubles Events to be Concluded During the Afternoon

ST. PAUL, Minn. The annual tournament of the International Bowling association which began here on February 10 will conclude late Monday. The singles and doubles events will be finished Monday afternoon. Bowlers rolling Monday are from Superior, Milwaukee and Racine, Wis.; Des Moines and Mason, City, Iowa; Winnipeg, Austin, Minn., and St. Paul.

The A. H. Arnold Brothers team of Chicago won the five-man championship with a new I. B. A. record of 3,002. First prize was \$325 and five gold medals.

Leaders in the singles and doubles to date follow:

Two-man—Gibbs and Peterson, St. Paul, 1,281; Collins and Kemp, South 1,274; Stogess and Murphy, Duluth, 1,243; Koles and Dallas, Milwaukee, 1,233; Wolf and Shill, Grand Forks, 1,229.

Singles—J. Brick, St. Paul, 695; R. Ramsey, Kansas City, 671; H. Bertram, Chicago, 658; R. Davis, Chicago, 667; H. Marino, Chicago, 664.

R. Davis, Chicago, leads in the all events with 1,895.

MARINELLO QUINT DEFEATS SPARTA LEGION, 39 TO 28

The Marinello basketball aggregation defeated the American Legion team of Sparta on the latter's floor, 39 to 28. The contest was exciting throughout with the hosts maintaining a slight edge over the Legionnaires. The score at the end of the first half was 11 to 12.

It became known that the Northwest city team defeated the Sparta Legionnaires by four points in a recent game, the score being 22 to 18. The Marinello report that one defeat this season. The lineup in the Sparta contest was as follows: Pitzner and Royal, forwards; Bauer, center; Leuchner, Wain, Lepsel, guards.

TO ADOPT PLAYING SCHEDULE AT MEET OF WESTERN LEAGUE

ST. JOSEPH, Mo.—Adoption of a playing schedule for 1932 was the principal business to come before a meeting of representatives of the baseball clubs of the Western league here Monday. Managers said before the meeting however, that several other questions, including the draft and the possible transfer of Jordan franchise to some other city, were to be discussed.

WHITE AND JACKSON ENGAGE AT M. S. G. IN FIFTEEN ROUNDS

NEW YORK.—Charlie White, middleweight lightweight pugilist of Chicago, and White Jackson, will meet in Madison Square Garden Monday night in a fifteen round bout under American Legion direction. Champion Benny Leonard is under contract to meet the winner of the bout.

CHICAGO CUBS TO GET INTO ACTION ON COAST TODAY

CHICAGO, Ill.—The Chicago Nationals, first major league club to reach the training camp, will get into action on Catalina Island, Monday, according to special dispatches published here. The Cubs arrived late Sunday and found Grover Cleveland Alexander, star pitcher in this connection from his advance training.

NO LABOR SAVER

A traveling man was eating in a stuffy little restaurant one very hot day, where there were no screens at windows or doors. The proprietor, himself, sat on the table while doing so. His energetic but vain efforts attracted the attention and raised the sympathy of the traveling man, who said:

"Wouldn't it be better to have your windows and the door screened?"

"Well, yes, I suppose that would help some," she replied, after a moment's reflection, "but, don't you think it would look kinder lazy-like?" —Harper's Magazine.

"The Gates" or "The Cats"

The residents of the town of Los Gatos on southern California are not logorrheic about the name of the town. It has been known for sometime as above but it is now contended that the old Spanish Don who named the village really meant to christen it Los Gatos which means the gates. The other means "the cats." It is desired to make the slight change in the name to correct the error.

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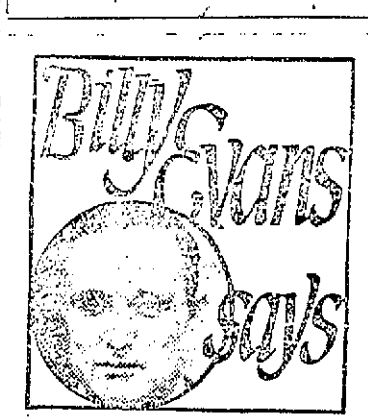


VINGERS ISSUES TO BOXERS AND WRESTLERS HERE

Who is the champion boxer and wrestler of the local host of the American Legion?

Prof. Vingers challenges any ex-service man at 142 pounds to a bout. Vingers claims the title of the local post at this weight and will back up his claim should any one wish to take him on in a title encounter.

The Legion plans to promote boxing and wrestling, the bouts to be staged at the regular meetings. Myron Savage has been appointed chairman of the athletic committee and arrangements for bouts may be made through him.



Speaking about "miracle" men of sport, Johnny Dundee shouldn't be overlooked as the entry from the boxing world.

The other evening Dundee handed an artistic trimming to Joe Benham, the much-touted coast lightweight. Dundee was outweighted seven or eight pounds.

That has been Dundee's trouble all through his career, he has consistently been forced to give away weight in practically every match he has ever had.

Dundee has always been a legitimate lightweight. Seldom has he ever weighed over 130 pounds. In a number of his bouts he has come in at 125.

At times Dundee took an alleged lightweight who were really closer to the featherweight limit. However, he never quibbled over the weight question.

There is another tale about Dundee that appeals to the boxing enthusiasts, he always gives from a run for their money. Any time Dundee is one of the principals it means the fans will get plenty of action. Dundee is that kind of a fighter. He forces it.

Dundee's toughest bout was his failure to get a match with Freddie Welsh before Dundee got his chance at the title. Dundee would have surely beaten Welsh, who was ripe for the first good fighter who met him.

At one time such a bout was almost decided when, because of some slight difference, it fell through. That was a tough break, if there ever was one.

Had Dundee got his chance and won the title he would have been able to place restrictions on contenders that would have made it pretty hard for some of them, Leonard in particular.

If Dundee had won the title he would have set the weight limit at 135 pounds. It is doubtful if Leonard would have over taken a whit at the title at that weight.

There is only one black mark on Dundee's career, a knockout by the hard-hitting Willie Jackson. However, in other bouts between the two, Dundee has proved his superiority, showing the knockout was in the nature of a fluke.

Aeronauts Study Birds

Pilots of commercial aircraft are co-operating in an attempt to solve some of those mysteries of life which have so far baffled all efforts of naturalists. Aeronauts on the Continental "express" will, it is hoped, throw light on such fascinating subjects as the height at which large flocks of birds fly when migrating, and what altitudes they are able to attain in flight. They will also help in unveiling secrets that have baffled savants for thousands of years.

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BADGERS ON TOP IN FOUR OF SIX ATHLETIC EVENTS WITH MID-WEST SCHOOLS

BY BOB DUNN

Wisconsin came out on top in four of the six athletic events in which Cardinal teams engaged with representatives of other mid-western institutions on Saturday.

The more important of the two events came in basketball and although not wholly unexpected, was a hard fought to take because of the fact that Coach Menawell's team actually scored more points from field than did its opponents. Miller's throwing of 10 out of 12 free throws being the deciding issue in the defeat.

Badgers Overtaken

In the first game of the season with the Wolverines it took an extra period to put over a win. At Ann Arbor Saturday night Wisconsin led throughout but was overtaken just before time and a free throw turned the trick, the final count being 18 to 17. Taylor of Wisconsin was held to one field goal but got five free throws. The Badgers led at the half-way mark by the count of 10 to 6.

The fact that Taylor's scoring ability has not been up to par in the last two contests has permitted Carney of Illinois to pass him for scoring honors in the Big Ten to date. Including the games of the first part of last week, Carney led with 77 points. Taylor was second with 73 and Shinn of Iowa was a close third with 72.

The one surprise in the other conference basketball games of Saturday night occurred when Northwestern won its only game of the season by defeating George Lewis' Indiana aggregation, 21 to 16.

Minnesota Out

The defeat of Minnesota by Illinois was more decisive than had been expected, however. At the end of the first half the count stood 16 to 6. Minnesota's only points being scored on free throws. The final score was 28 to 18, putting Minnesota definitely out of the running for a place at the top of the Big Ten percentage column.

Chicago was decisively beaten by Purdue, 28 to 16, and likewise Ohio State fell before the quacking attack of the Iowa, 31 to 27.

In the contests in four other fields on Saturday, Wisconsin won in track

swimming, wrestling and skiing, losing in hockey.

The most important of these victories was the one over Notre Dame in track. Wisconsin had little difficulty winning at South Bend, 52 to 54. Two records were broken in the meet, one when Merrick went to 12 feet, 5 1/2 inches in the pole vault. The other record was made by Notre Dame in the mile relay run in 3:20 2-15.

The victory was a costly one for Wisconsin. Pinkle, winner of the cross-country Big Ten race last fall and counted on as sure winner of the two mile and other long distance events in conference indoor and outdoor meets this year, suffered a compound fracture of the right leg in the meet that will keep him out of competition for all season.

Wisconsin won first places in seven of the ten events against the Catholics.

Swimmers Win

Wisconsin swimmers succeeded in winning from Illinois, 37 to 31. Bennett, the Badger dash man, was pushed hard in the 200 yard dash and in the 100 yard free style but won both events. The win by the Badgers shows that they will offer stronger swimming competition in the annual conference meet than they have put up in several seasons.

The Cardinal wrestlers showed much better form against Northwest, even than they did against Minnesota on the week previous and won the dual competition, 28 to 22.

The other victory came in the dual ski meet with Minnesota at Madison. Two carloads of snow had to be imported for the event. The final scores were: Wisconsin, 64 1/2; Minnesota, 53 1/2.

Ragner Omstedt, national amateur champion, showed himself to be easily the class of the field as a member of the team from the Norgo Ski club, Chicago, which won the mid-western championship. Omstedt won the title of mid-western amateur champion with a jump of 103 feet.

The Wisconsin state championship was carried away by Svel Welhaven, Milwaukee, who scored a total of 210 points. Gilbert Hagen, Mount Horeb, was second with 204.

A throng of 3,500 people watched the meet from Lake Mendota.

BASKETBALL RESULTS

SATURDAY
Big Ten Games

Purdue, 28; Chicago, 16.
Northwestern, 25; Indiana, 16.
Illinois, 28; Minnesota, 18.
Iowa, 31; Ohio State, 27.
Michigan, 18; Wisconsin, 17.
Missouri Valley Games

Oklahoma, 29; Washington, 26.
Duke, 31; Nebraska, 32.

Other Games
Wabash, 32; De Pauw, 28.
La Crosse Normal, 31; River Falls, 11.

South Dakota State, 27; North Dakota, 19.

West Point, 41; Union college, 21.
Annapolis, 42; W. and J., 21.
Augustana, 41; De Paul, 21.
Wheaton, 16; Naperville, 14.
Bradley, 27; Illinois college, 14.
Armour, 34; Lake Forest, 23.
Illinois Wesleyan, 22; Eureka, 16.
Eastern Intercollegiate

Pennsylvania, 26; Dartmouth, 21.

Taking the world over November is the favorite month for holidays, twenty-six out of the thirty real national holidays being celebrated in that month.

When a woman gets a man up a tree she makes a monkey out of him.

CAPITAL CITY FIVES SEEM SURE WINNERS OF STATE PIN MEET

Two Lunchroom Teams of Madison Well Out in Lead for Tourney

MADISON, Wis.—Two Madison teams, Egan and Kelley Lunch and Lawrence Lunch, stand at the head of the five-man teams in the state bowling tournament, with but one day remaining to break their lead. No teams of importance remain on the schedule and it is believed the Madison fives have the first honors won.

Over Saturday and Sunday Bayley and Hannus of Milwaukee shot 1,223 in the doubles and went into fourth place, while yesterday Matt Somers of Milwaukee took third place in the all-events with a total of 1,858.

The men's tournament will end tomorrow.

The wise man of La Crosse says he is wearing his next year's styles already.

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EQUITY PROPOSES STATE-WIDE MEET OF CO-OP BODIES

Seeks Conference to Bring Farmer Into Closer Touch With the Manufacturer

MADISON, Wis.—A state-wide conference of all co-operative buying organizations to discuss market conditions and formulate plans for co-operation in buying the farmer's products into closer contact with the manufacturer or producer, is proposed by the Equity society in a statement Monday.

Already the society is calling local meetings to consider the buying problems of localities. It was at the Green Bay gathering that a resolution was adopted calling for a closer association between the various co-operative organizations of the state, and a committee selected to plan for a state-wide conference of representatives of these organizations to formulate plans for their co-operation.

"The depressed purchasing value of farm products makes it necessary, by every legitimate means possible, to reduce the cost to the farmer for the manufactured and other products he must use," W. T. Meluskey, business manager of the Equity society said in his statement today. "One of the most practical and efficient methods for accomplishing this end," he said, "is collective buying, thereby securing the price reductions for quantity purchases."

"Wisconsin is undoubtedly one of the leading states in the number of local co-operative organizations and a total volume of co-operative business. Unfortunately, however, the co-operation is generally too local to secure the full benefits that would accrue. There should be more state-wide co-operation between the local organizations."

Meetings are being held with a view to later having a state conference or convention at which it is hoped to have representatives from practically every co-operative buying organization in the state. The objects being to discuss conditions as they exist, endeavoring to formulate means for improvement and effect organization that will bring the farmer consumer into closer contact with the manufacturer or producer to the ultimate profit of both.

The state department of markets is co-operating with the Equity society and is having representatives present at its local meetings which it is expected will culminate in the general conference of all co-operative organizations.

The Language of Love
First barber—"Nasty, cut you've given that old gear, Bill."
Second ditto—"Yes, I'm courin' his 'ousemaid—that's to let 'er know I can see 'er Tuesday night!"—The Passing Show (London).

A Family Affair
"Did you give the penny to the monkey, dear?"
"Yes, mumma."
"And what did the monkey do with it?"
"He gave it to his father, who played the organ."—Boston Transcript.

In The MOVIES

"TOL'ABLE DAVID"—RIVOLI

When Joseph Barthelmess finally allowed one of his stories to be transferred to screen, he entrusted it to Richard Barthelmess. The result has justified his judgment for "Tol'able David," the first National production which opened its run at the Rivoli Theater Sunday ranks far ahead of the season's offerings.

The episode marks Barthelmess' first appearance as a star. His wife as David's mother is one that calls for sympathetic feeling and the excellent handling which it receives from the picture's makers. The star registers high in the role of the mountain youth whose unwavering ambition is the keynote of his character.

The story is a simple one. David Kilmoran, the baby of the Kilmoran family, suddenly finds himself orphaned. David's older brother Allen has been crippled by the Alburna river, and his father is soiling with a fatal stroke as he is about to go out, and in hand to arrange Allen's injury.

Because David is considered too young to handle the farm they are forced to leave their home. David is forced to the chance to take up Allen's place as driver of the government mail train in one day, the world is transferred to David. He has his chance to leave the government mail and because he regards it as a sacred trust, the opportunity comes to him all at once to prove his qualifications for the job when out the steam on the family honor and regain affections of his girl. The climax comes in a smashing fight that is a real sensation for combined fun play and two tided handstanding.

"SERENADE"—MAJESTIC
"Serenade" will start an engagement of three days at the Majestic Theater today.

It is a Spanish drama, filled with exciting episodes and tender love scenes, and was produced for Associated First National Pictures, Inc. by that sterling director, Raoul Walsh.

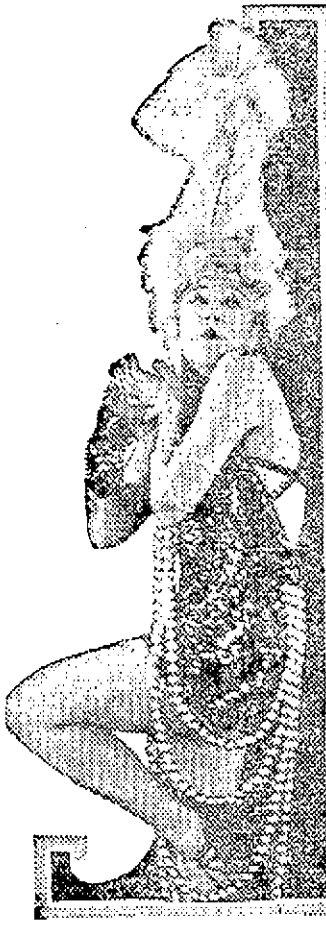
Miriam Cooper, who achieved fame in "The Birth of a Nation" and "Intolerance," and George Walsh play the leads, assisted by a strong cast including Bertram Grassby, Joseph Swickard, John Eber's, Tom Kearns, Noble Johnson and Adelbert Kott.

The action is laid in the town of Magdalena, a Spanish possession, and depicts in an interesting manner the love affairs of Maria del Carmen, a girl for miles around, and Pancho, the son of the governor.

The arrival in town of Ramon results in complications, duels and misunderstandings which threaten the peace of the town and the love of Pancho for Maria, but affairs are unraveled in a novel manner.

STRAND TODAY
Best Lytell, the Metro star, has won the latest screen popularity contest in Los Angeles, the home of motion pictures.

The contest was conducted by the



MAE MURRAY

In "Peacock Alley" at the Riviera today and Tuesday; Strand, Wednesday and Thursday; Casino Friday and Saturday.

Los Angeles Examiner among women candidates for the role of Cinderella at a Cinderella ball. There were 15,000 candidates and they were permitted to vote for the selection of their Prince Charming. Mr. Lytell polled almost half the votes, which were distributed

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Mr. Lytell and Miss Pland rode in a fairy coach along Broadway to open the ball at the Cinderella ball, where they were greeted by Mayor George C. Overy.
Mr. Lytell will be seen today at the Strand Theater in "Alias Ladyfingers," a Rayward Voller production of Jackson Gregory's story, adapted for the screen by Lenore J. Coffey.

CASINO TODAY

The Overland limited westbound through Arizona was rolling peacefully along the desert and from the windows of the passenger coaches tourists were enjoying the beautiful western scene. All were cheerful and happy, when suddenly, a lone bandit appears and races to hold up the passengers. But little did he know that on that train was a man (Bill Fairbanks) whose greatest passion was fighting with death. Like a shot he leaps through the air and grapples with the bandit, and not only did he disarm him and give him a wonderful thrashing, but he also knocked him bodily from the train and had it not been for the fact that the train, at that moment, was passing over a high embankment the bandit would have been instantly killed. See "A Western Demon" at the Casino today.

MAE MURRAY SCORES

In "Peacock Alley" which today begins a 2 day run at the Riviera Theater, Mae Murray does the most striking characterization of her career. It is a picture in which the natural interest of a powerful love story is added the attraction of gorgeous settings and wonderful costumes.

The story opens in a small American village, shifts to Paris, back to the village and then to New York. It pictures the adventures of a Parisian dancer who forsakes the plaudits and favors of the gay city of pleasure to become the wife of a small town American youth only to find that her husband's people are scandalized at her and will have nothing to do with her. Then the youthful lovers try to make their way in New York but the big city proves full of trouble which the lovers finally solve but not in the way that either expected.

As Cloe of Paris, the dancer, Miss Murray does the finest acting of any of her pictures.

The bones of a basiliscus have been found in Oklahoma. We'll bet he couldn't spell his name.

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The new orders require that superintendents shall be responsible for the regular inspection of the face of the quarry, as well as of all equipment, and must see to it that dangerous conditions are promptly corrected.

Under the new safety requirements not more than one day's supply, and not more than 100 pounds of explosives are allowed to be taken into a quarry, the extra supply to be kept in an approved magazine, located at least 200 feet from any building or public highway.

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SCORN—They wither the heart with icy glances!
LOVE—Ah! How they love!

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FRIDAY, Feb. 24
8:15 P. M.

NORMAL SCHOOL AUDITORIUM

Tickets for sale by all members of the Normanna, and the following business houses: Johnson's Drug Store, West Salem; Superior Dry Cleaning & Rug Co., 201 State St.; N. Haugen's Shoe Shop; Aron's Shoe Store; Gorder's Drug Store, Pearl St.; Eide's Bakery; Engas Grocery; Lethold's Music Store; Noelke's Music Store; Sjlander's Drug Store; Ruud's Drug Store; Lien's Drug Store; Starum & Fraser Clothing Co.; Rivoli Electric Shop, Rivoli Building; Daering Hotel; Hegge's Market, Rose St.; Haraldson's Shoe Store; Nelson Clothing Co.; Erickson's Bakery; A. J. Ness' Jewelry Store; Hoeschler Bros. Book and Drug Store; Borman News Stand, and State Normal School; La Crosse High school; La Crosse Business College; Wisconsin Business University.

Tickets are \$1.00; 75c for students and teachers... Including war tax. Children's tickets same as students. The entrance will open at 7:30. Tickets for sale at the entrance.

SHE SUES GOVERNOR FOR \$100,000



Governor Lee M. Russell of Mississippi has been made defendant in a \$100,000 damage suit started by his former stenographer, Miss Frances Birkhead. Miss Birkhead's peti-

er and later ruined her health by inducing her to submit to an operation. Governor Russell has made formal denial of the girl's charges. He denounces the suit is a political maneuver. Miss Dinkhead. Inset, Governor Russell. The large picture above shows

BREAKS WORLD SPEED RECORD



J. H. James as he landed after breaking the world's speed record for one kilometer at Marblesham, England. He attained a speed of 212 miles an hour in a 450 h. p. Napier biplane.

IRACLE CREEK
MURDER VICTIM

"Wingold" Flour, 40-pound cotton sacks, per barrel	10.20
"Wingold" Flour, 24½-pound paper sacks, per barrel	10.15
"Wingold" Flour, 12½-pound paper sacks, per barrel	10.30

to Go Home; Both are	sacks, per barrel	10.25
Missing	Mill Feed	
MILWAUKEE, Wis.—A Milwaukee	"Bay State" Bran, in 100-pound	
	pound sacks, per ton	30.00
	"Bay State" Std. Midds. in 100-	
	pound sacks, per ton	30.00

...s, says that the victim of Miracle
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iddle of December last, is believed
ed the Edward Theilan, whose home
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Strawberries, 1/2 bushel, 1/2 doz.	6.75
Citrus, "Sunkist," box	6.00
Lemons, choice	5.50
Oranges, Sunkist, size 126, box	5.50
Oranges, Sunkist, size 120, box	5.50
Oranges, Sunkist, size 176, box	6.00

Oranges, Sundtist, size 250, box	5.00
Oranges, Sundtist, size 288, box	4.50
Oranges, Sundtist, size 325, box	4.00
Bananas, per lb.	7c
Celery, per dozen	1.50
Eggs, per dozen	1.10

Oysters, per gallon	2.00
Apples, per barrel	8.00
Apples, per bushel	2.50
Apples, per box	1.75 to 3.50
Cabbage, per hd.	4.50
Onions	8.00

Hogs	.....	\$6.00 to \$9.00
Lambs	.....	\$5.00 to \$8.00
Sheep	.....	\$3.00
Steers	.....	\$3.00 to \$4.25
Cows	.....	\$2.00 to \$3.00

Full cream, American Twins	21-23c
Full cream, Block Swiss	28-30c
Full cream, Long Horn	22-24c
Full cream, Limburger	22-25c

A typewriter machine which will cost

Residents of East Troy say the man returned to East Troy, dressed in civilian's clothes and driving the mobile. He later disappeared.

NAVY RADIO FOR NEWS
WASHINGTON.—The house res-
on extending privileges of naval
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SPARTA CREAMERY REPORTS INCREASED BUSINESS IN 1921

Old Officers Re-elected: Over Million Pounds of Butter Produced there and at Cataract

DANISH PRIDE COMPANY TO OPERATE SPARTA CONDENSARY

Funeral of Frank Merritt, Killed at Jefferson Tobacco Plant

SPARTA, Wis.—At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Sparta Co-operative creamery association held last Saturday the old officers were re-elected. They are: W. T. Avey, president; Norman Hanson, secretary; C. E. Merow, treasurer. A change was made in the election of the directors, who before now have been elected from year to year. The following directors were elected under the new arrangement: for three years, Wayne Merow, Fred Tenner, J. H. Roberts; for two years, Charles Van der Schuerf, Herman Olson; for one year, Frank Schaub, A. L. Harr. A resolution was adopted at the meeting, protesting against the sale of butter substitutes and filled milk by local dealers.

Business Volume Greater
The annual report shows the institution to be in a most satisfactory condition. Although the gross receipts were less than the preceding year, it was due to the lower price on dairy articles, for a greater volume of business was done, than in the preceding year. The Sparta and Cataract creameries combined produced over a million pounds of butter—in round numbers it was 1,020,321. This is a gain of about 200,000 pounds over the year before.

Sparta has the second largest co-operative creamery in the world, though probably this fact is new to the majority of its citizens. On January first, 1921, there was \$7,766.12 cash in the bank. The total deposits for 1921 were \$407,810.75, making a total of \$415,576.87, and eighty-seven cents. The total number of checks cashed was \$112,230.81 leaving cash in the bank, Jan. 1, 1922, \$1,246.03.

Butter Averages 39 Cents
At Sparta during the year, there was 2,344,478 lbs. of butter received, and at Cataract, 850,241 lbs., making a total of 3,194,719 lbs. The average price for butter in 1921 was 39 cents. The average price paid the patron for butter fat was 44 cents. The total amount received for butter in 1921 was \$396,838.54.

The total amount received for butter for the past year was \$1,638 at Sparta and at Cataract \$331. Total (in round numbers)—\$897,828. At the meeting of the Board of Directors Monday night, C. E. Merow was chosen to succeed himself, as manager of the creamery; and Theodore Tennertz of Cedarburg, was hired as buttermilk.

Condensary to Reopen

The Danish Milk Products company have taken over the condensary at Sparta and will open it again for business, not later than March 1. Mr. John F. Koz, President of the company and Lee J. Schenkenberg, General Superintendent, came Wednesday to make arrangements for reopening the plant. Roy E. Curnow has been retained as field man. This company from Sheboygan, has now a plant at Denmark and at Costburg, Wis. Their present factories cannot supply the demand for their brand of evaporated milk.

Aside from the superintendent, the employees will be local residents. When the condensary closed down, some months ago, it threw about thirty-five men out of employment, so many will be glad to know it is to reopen.

Merritt Funeral at LaMolle

The body of Frank Merritt, who was crushed to death in the elevator shaft at the warehouse of the Jefferson Leaf Tobacco Company, on Tuesday morning, was taken to LaMolle, Minnesota, where funeral services were held Thursday. Mr. Merritt was 51 years of age and was a native of New York State. He had been employed at the Jefferson plant, off and on, for the past ten years. His wife and a married daughter survive him.

H. Howard of Sparta is the owner of an excellent producing herd of 15 high grade Jersey, whose products have made some close competition for high honors in Wisconsin associations the past few months. In October, the herd held third place in the state for butter fat production from a total of ninety associations reporting at Madison office. In January, their average production was 41.6 lbs. fat, being in the fifth position of herds of this size. Their production in four months, which is 165 lbs. fat is equal to the average cows' production for one year.

Much Wood Brought In

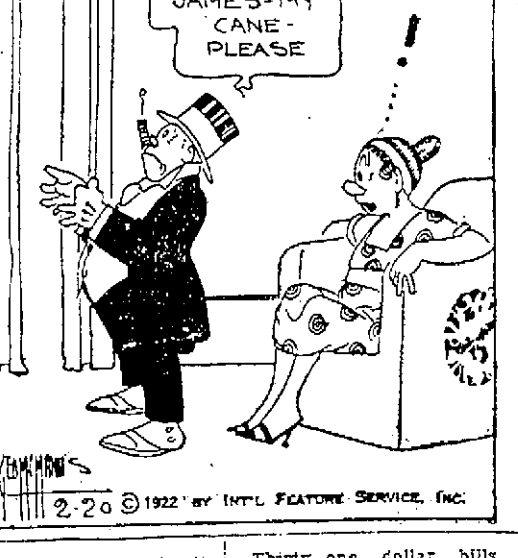
Great quantities of wood have been brought into town, while the sleighing has been good. January was a busy month for lumbermen. Len Conger, for during that time he measured 927 loads of wood. Many times the city market was full, and farmers were compelled to put their load elsewhere. The average price at present is about \$2.50 a cord for black wood.

Health Resorts

He—"I spent a lot of money at Kelly pool this winter."
She—"Did you like it as well as Hot Springs?"—"Purple Cow" (William).

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BRINGING UP FATHER



SILVER WEDDING IS HAPPILY PASSED BY THE THEO. MONSONS

Mrs. Jennie Fox Entertains at Dinner to Honor Mother's Eightieth Birthday

WEST SALEM, Wis.—(Special)—Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Monson were pleasantly surprised last Sunday in honor of their 25th wedding anniversary. A sum of money was left them in remembrance of the day. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Ben Larson, La Crosse, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Dahlgren and family, Onitaska, Me. and Mrs. Harry Wilson and family, Mrs. O. Monson, Me. and Mrs. Lynn McClintock, Mrs. Percy McClintock and son, Franklin, Mrs. Lars Larson, Manley, Torngerson, Eliza Schmalz and Theresia Munson.

Mrs. Jennie Fox entertained the following at a six o'clock dinner, in honor of her mother's 80th birthday: Mesdames Preusselt, A. Casteline, John Smith, John Stenard, Bertha Cassel, Harry Griswold, Martin Pfeiffer, and Mrs. Carrie Anderson. The study club will meet on Monday with Mrs. Mary Smith. The lesson will be Chapter XV. Special topics as follows: Discuss the Rank and Beauties of Gray's "Elegy," G. H. Hitchcock; reading, Collins' "Ode to the Passions," Miss Ethel Adams; remarkable literary forgeries, Mrs. Elizabeth Breckinridge; list and sing several of the best Wesley hymns, Mrs. Emma Cole.

Program for Mother's club Thursday: Cooking demonstration, Domestic Science III and IV; song, first and second grades; arithmetic lesson, third grade; socialized recitation, seventh grade; dramatization of Rumpelstiltskin, fourth and fifth grades; model lesson in history, sixth grade; music, Bernice McDonald.

Dr. and Mrs. S. R. Everett entertained Mr. and Mrs. Crosby of La Crosse at dinner Sunday.

The members of the Busy Bee club surprised Mr. and Mrs. Christ Ledeber on Sunday evening. They were presented with a sum of money as a remembrance of the happy occasion.

The ladies of the Novelty club enjoyed a picnic supper at the home of Mrs. John Meyer Thursday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Magnusson's birthday.

Mrs. Laura Aberly entertained a few ladies at cards Thursday evening.

The members of the Eastern Star enjoyed a six o'clock dinner and social on Tuesday.

Mrs. George Hitchcock entertained at a one o'clock luncheon on Friday. Covers were laid for ten.

Mrs. J. Battis entertained the Whist club on Monday evening.

Robert Thomas entertained the sophomore class in honor of his sixteenth birthday anniversary Saturday evening. The evening was spent with games and dancing and a delicious luncheon was served.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. McElldowney entertained friends at a six o'clock dinner on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Ruol entertained a few friends on Thursday at a one o'clock dinner.

The opera, "A Trip to Wonderland" was given on Thursday evening at the Colonial theatre by the grade children. Seventy-five children took part in songs, dances and dialogue. Miss Mary Farrington assisted in the production.

Economy
The lesson we must learn is the value of money and the value of saving money. Economy makes strong, industrious, successful men. I cannot state this too emphatically.—Jefferson Davis.

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BADGER STATE'S QUOTA OF FIGHTING MEN IN WAR IS REPORTED AT 124, 814

MADISON, Wis.—Wisconsin furnished 124,814 soldiers, sailors and marines to the national forces during the world war, a revised report made public Monday by Colonel Byron T. Reveridge, assistant adjutant general, shows.

Of this number 109,608 were in the army and 15,116 in the navy and marines. Milwaukee furnished the greatest number of service men with a total of 25,802 of which 21,496 were in the army and 4,306 in the navy and marines.

Dane county followed Milwaukee with 4,725 out of which 4,112 were in the army and 613 in the navy and marines, while Racine county with 4,636 was third, having 4,021 in the army and 605 in the navy.

Brown county furnished 2,696 men, 2,365 of them in the army and 331 in the navy. Chippewa county had a total of 1,891, including 1,753 soldiers and 111 sailors and marines. Douglas county had 2,518 service men, 2,331 in the army and 185 in the navy.

There were 1,788 in the service from Eau Claire, 1,573 in the army and 215 in the navy and marines. Koshush county furnished 2,750 men, 2,506 in the army and 243 in the navy, while La Crosse county had 2,406 men in service, 2,272 in the army and 224 in the navy.

Manitowish had 2,148 service men of which 1,932 were in the army and

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EIGHTY FEET TO ITS TAIL TIP

There is a prevalent notion that the animals of past ages, whose bones are from time to time dug out of rocks and sand quarries, were many of them much bigger than any at present existing. This notion is, however, a wrong one. Sir Ray Lankester tells us in "Secrets of Earth and Sky."

True, the mammoth and the mastodon were enormous creatures, but they were not bigger than their living representatives, the great elephants of Africa and India. Actually the biggest extinct animal we know of is the gigantesaurus, a huge semi-aquatic reptile, but even the biggest of them would have weighed much less than a big whale. Stretched on the shore, resting on its belly as a crocodile does, the body, horn-shaped, of the gigantesaurus would have been about twelve feet

high and some fifty feet long, with its tail, like a huge serpent, extending eighty feet beyond it in one direction. Thirty one dollar bills equal in weight a twenty dollar gold piece. A woman says a man is a joke when she can't take a joke.

Wall Paper Values

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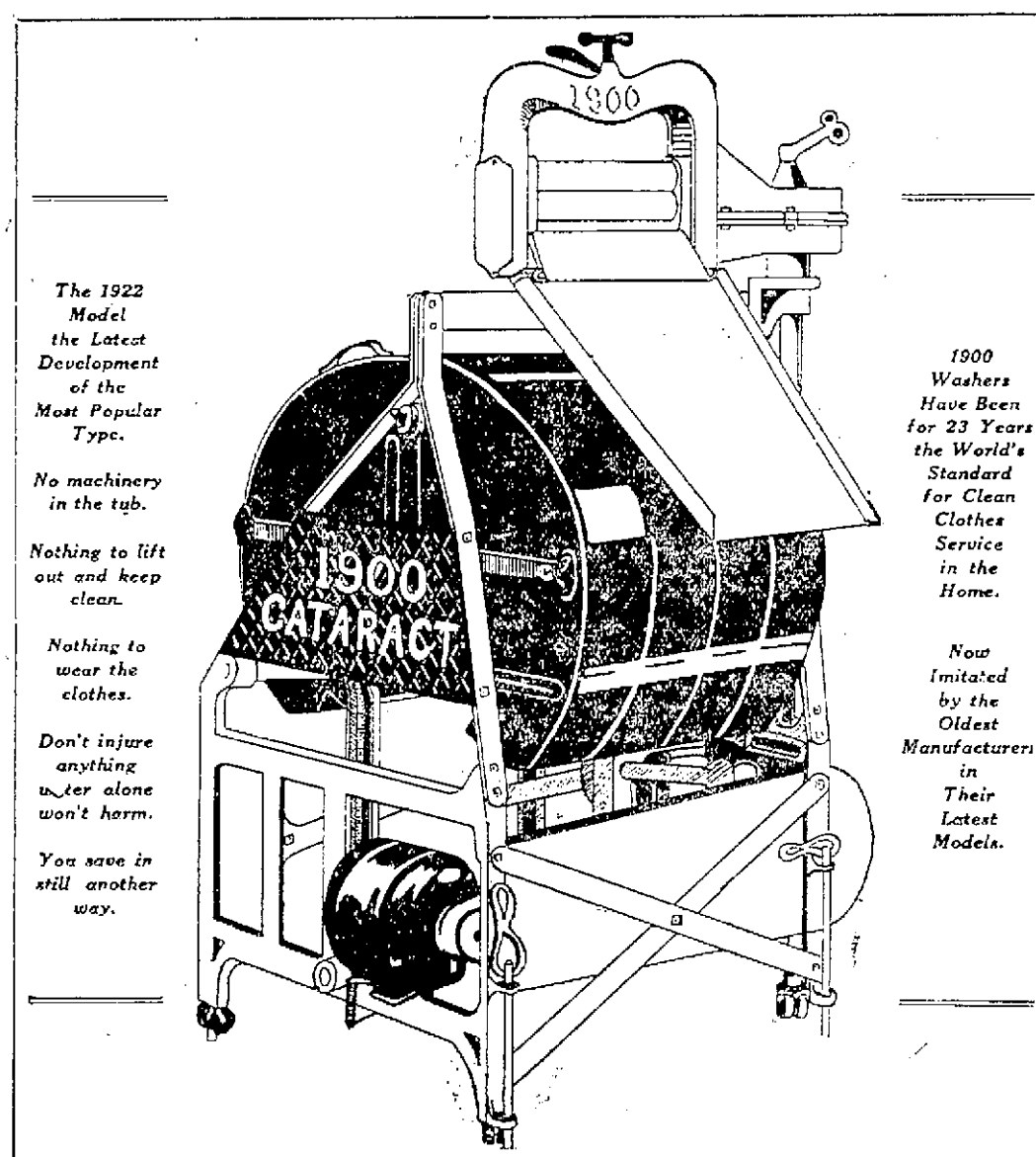
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